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FATE OF RUSSIAN ARMY IS STILL IN THE BALANCE

Driven From Mukden and Other Positions in That Vicinity Kuropatkin is Rushing His Men Northward Toward Tie Pass---Has a Most Difficult Task Before Him.

The fate of the Russian army of upwards of a quarter of a million men and the two thousand pieces of artillery with which it was expected confidently General Kuropatkin and his lieutenants could prevent the advance of the Japanese beyond the Shakhe and Hun river positions, still is in the balance.

They have been driven from those positions and now are rushing northward toward Tie pass around which are high hills, which were prepared for defense after the battle of Liao-yang in September, there being no hope at that time that the Japanese would allow the defeated army to rest south of Tie pass.

Great Loss of Munitions.

That the Russians have lost many guns and large quantities of ammunition and supplies is certain, for with but a single track railway to the north it would be impossible to remove the large stores which had been gathered together at Mukden. These, it seems, certain have been destroyed.

The Japanese have not yet reported the capture of guns which they generally do almost immediately but it seems hardly likely that Kuropatkin could have removed all of his artillery. On the first of aJnuary, according to correspondents who have just returned from Mukden the Russians had in position along the Shakhe and Hun rivers 1,500 guns including a number of six and eight-inch guns on cement foundations straddling the railway just north of Shakhe station.

In addition, many guns arrived in Mukden during January and February, so that the Russian artillery, when the big battle started, must have numbered nearly 2,000 pieces. It is likely that Kuropatkin has sacrificed some of these and is bending all his energies to extricating his army. That his task is a difficult one all the dispatches indicate but Russian sympathizers point to his retreat from Liao-yang, where conditions were opposed to him.

Where Is Kawmura?

The retreat from Liao-yang was accomplished during a terrific rainstorm over roads deep with mud, while at the present time the roads are frozen hard as stone and have been worn smooth by the continual passage of the big commissariat wagons. The result of Oyama's great turning movement depends almost entirely upon Kawmura's army, which has not yet been located definitely, although supposed to be moving from the east toward Kuropatkin's line of retreat.

Should he reach the military road which runs almost in a direct line from Fushun to Tie pass, before the passage of the Russian army, the circle will be complete as Nogi's guns already command the railway and should soon control the Mandarin road, which is but a short distance east of the railroad and runs parallel with it.

The army of General Kaulbars, which has been pressed back across the western plain, fighting every inch of ground, is moving northward to protect the line of retreat from the attacks from the westward while General Bilderling is protecting the rear against General Oku and Nodzu and Linevitch and doing his best to hold the military road against Kuroki. They have numbers against them but have succeeded against odds in similar retreats before.

May Cut Off Retreat.

The appearance of General Kawmura would render futile all their efforts. General Rennenkampff's force of somewhat less than 10,000 men which has been the extreme left is in a precarious position, but the force is a mobile one and the officers know the mountains well. With the exception of this latter force all the Russian troops are now concentrated on the roads leading northward and it may take another 24 hours before their fate is decided.

The army which General Grippenburg turned over to General Kaulbars when he left Manchuria and a portion of which General Bilderling commanded, consisted of Gregoff's cavalry, Mistchenko's mobile division and the Fifth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth and Seventeenth army corps, extending from the Liao river to the Mandarin road.

General Linevitch's army, which held the important positions at the bend of the Shakhe river, including Erdagou hill, comprised the first European and the First, Second, Third and Fourth Siberian corps, Rennenkampff's mobile division and Samsonoff's cavalry. The troops which arrived in January and February, probably two corps are not included in this list.

More Talk of Peace.

Even should Kuropatkin extricate his army it is believed that peace soon will follow this latest Japanese victory. The calling to St. Petersburg of M. Iswolsky, Russian minister to Denmark, who formerly was in Tokio, is most significant. No time will be lost in starting the negotiations as soon as Russia intimates her wish to close the war. Shortly after the fall of Port Arthur a high official of the Japanese foreign office arrived in London with authority to take up the negotiations as soon as Russia declared her desire for peace.

The losses in the operations preceding the battle and those in the battle proper must have reached enormous proportions but up to the present neither side has attempted an estimate. They will exceed the Shakhe losses, in which the Russians alone lost in killed and wounded and missing 67,000 men.

Field Marshal Oyama arranged his attack so that the Chinese city of Mukden should not come within the range of battle, rather an easy task, as the Russians had no positions immediately around the city as was the case at Liao Yang and the Russian town is two miles from the outer walls of the old city. The western imperial tombs were under shell fire but no account has been given of the damage, if any, that they suffered. The eastern tombs, around which the Russians had erected positions, apparently did not come within the range of the Japanese shells.

GOOD PAY DAY IN THE CAMP

EFFECT OF THE DISTRIBUTION OF MONEY IS FELT BY THE MERCHANTS OF THE DISTRICT.

Special to the Gazette.

VICTOR, March 10.—The merchants of this city are enjoying the effects of a good pay day and as early as 10 o'clock this morning the miners who received their checks when coming off the night shift were exchanging their scrip for currency and from then on till midnight it is estimated that nearly $150,000 in checks were cashed in this city.

Owing to the class of men now working in the mines the greater part of this money is spent with the merchants of the district for food, clothing, furniture and luxuries which is all a great benefit to the local storekeepers.

AFFIDAVIT FILED

Defendant in Breach of Promise Case Asks Time to Secure Attendance of Witness From California.

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—An affidavit was filed in the district court this afternoon by the defendant in the case of Lorine Carlson vs. C. E. Harrison.

Defendant claims that he has recently found a witness in a Mrs. Hunter who will be very valuable in his case and now asks that more time be given in order to get this witness here.

He alleges that Mrs. J. J. Hunter now of California, formerly of Denver, was a visitor at the home of Madam McClure who resides at 1812 California street, Denver, and at which place the plaintiff in the case was a frequent visitor, in fact, living there for weeks at a time.

That during one of the visits of Mrs. Hunter to Madam McClure's home the latter and Miss Carlson had a conversation in reference to defendant. Said conversation was to the effect that they had a "sucker" on the string and intended to stick him for a large sum of money, meaning defendant.

That defendant has had a detective employed on the case for some time who gained all this information and he now asks time to get Mrs. Hunter from California to testify at the trial.

This case is a sensational one. Miss Carlson is suing for $30,000 for alleged breach of promise.

JURY SECURED

Case of Sterrett Against Stratton's Independence Is on Trial.—Is for $50,000 Damages.

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10—A jury was secured this morning in the district court for the purpose of trying the case of Harry Sterrett against the Stratton's Independence, Ltd., wherein $50,000 damages is asked.

The suit is brought by Mr. Sterrett's dearest friend, his mother, against the company, and a determined fight is in progress by attorneys for the plaintiff to show that the accident which caused the young man's injuries was brought about by improper timbering in the mine.

The fight has been taken up by attorneys of the company in a determined manner. Some of the best legal talent of the state is fighting the company side of the case.

DAMAGE SUIT

Witnesses Summoned to Appear in United States Circuit Court in Union Store Case.

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10—United States Deputy Marshal Franks, from the United States circuit court at Denver, was in the city today summoning a number of well known citizens to appear at Judge Hallett's court during the coming week, at which time the case of the Interstate Mercantile company vs. A. E. Carlton and 50 others alleged to be indebted to the Mercantile company in the sum of $15,000, will come up for trial.

This action is brought about by the destruction of plaintiff's stores in this city on August 21 last, at which time their place of business was raided by a posse of citizens of the district and nearly everything destroyed.

SUED ON NOTE

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—Suit was commenced in the district court today by S. F. Erb against the Cripple Creek and Victor Transportation, Drainage and Tunnel company for the purpose of recovering the sum of $12,456.84 alleged to be due on a promissory note with interest from January 4 of this year.

The note was dated at that time and was executed in Faribault, Minn., and was signed by D. W. Grant and Samuel Grant as president and secretary of the company.

SHERIFF GRIMES [illegible] MAN

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10. Sheriff O. P. Grimes of El Paso county was a visitor in this city today. On his return to the valley he was accompanied by G. W. Calkins.

Mr. Calkins was arrested in this city yesterday on advices from Colorado Springs and held in the county jail over night, his arrest being caused for failure to support his child.

JURISDICTION HAS BEEN ASSUMED BY SUPREME COURT

Will Pass Upon the Interrogatories in the Governorship Contest Propounded by the Joint Assembly Concerning the Alexander Report---Democrats Oppose Submission to Court.

Special to the Gazette.

DENVER, March 10.—The supreme court has agreed to take original jurisdiction in the matter of interrogatories propounded by the senate concerning the Alexander report and arguments will be heard tomorrow morning.

The senate committee consisting of Senators Alexander, Campbell, Parks, Taylor and Anfenger reported to the senate this morning the interrogatories concerning the Alexander report from the committee on the governorship contest.

Democratic Objection.

The Democratic senators made emphatic objections to any consideration of the matter, holding that the senate had no right to propound and the supreme court had no right to answer any questions concerning the contest.

Senator Hill speaking for the Democrats, maintained that the legislature and the supreme court were coordinate branches of the state government, each supreme in its own department and neither having the right to interfere in any matter that concerned the other. The constitution, he said, had conferred upon the legislature the right to decide any contest over the governor's seat and he held that it alone had any rights in the premises. The interference of the court he asserted would be unconstitutional.

In spite of this the senate passed the resolution to submit the matter.

Supreme Court Will Decide.

In the afternoon the supreme court decided to take jurisdiction and to listen to arguments. These will be presented at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. John M. Waldron will appear on behalf of the senate. The opposition to the position taken by the court will be argued by several Democrats, the leader being Senator Gerald Hughes. Attorney Callbreath has been asked to look after any interests that Lieutenant Governor McDonald may have in the contest.

Nothing was done today in the bribery investigation which seems to have been set aside completely by the consideration of the Alexander report.

House and Senate Committees.

The house committee on roads and bridges met today to scale down to about $80,000, the bills that demand about $300,000. The finance committee of the senate held a short meeting today with the appropriations committee of the house in relation to the general appropriations bill and other measures. The Long bill has been agreed upon and will appropriate about $850,000, the same figures, almost, as two years ago. The joint assembly has taken a recess until 10 o'clock Monday morning. The senate and house have both adjourned until Monday morning.

PRESIDENT'S RAILROAD POLICY UNDER DISCUSSION

BOSTON, March 10.—"The president's railroad policy" was the general subject of discussion at a dinner of the Economic club of Boston tonight. The principal speakers were Judge Peter S. Grosscup of Chicago; President David Wilcox of the Delaware and Hudson railroad company and Interstate Commerce Commissioner Prouty.

Each commented at length upon President Roosevelt's views regarding the regulation of interstate commerce rates. Mr. Prouty defended the proposed national legislation. Mr. Wilcox vigorously opposed the interference of the government in the rate question and declared it impossible for a small body of men at Washington to properly dictate what the railroad rates should be.

Judge Grosscup said that he saw serious danger in the whole question unless it was handled delicately not only by President Roosevelt but the railroad men.

Judge Grosscup spoke of "The President's Railroad Policy." He said in part:

Whatever may be its legal status, a policy of discrimination that gives to one set of persons in a community rates that are refused to the balance of that community, or to certain communities rates that are refused to other communities, is a policy of injustice—unjust both to the persons and communities discriminated against, and unjust to the people of the United States as an entirety. It is none the less unjust that the means used to accomplish the discrimination may have been indirect. Secret rebates are as unjust as direct differences in rates.

Arrangements by which the private cars of a particular shipper are hauled at a reduction that substantially overmeasures the capital invested by the shipper in such cars; and arrangements to divide rates with shippers, who pretend to be operating independent railroads that in fact are only switches, in a ratio not measured by legitimate switch charges all these, and all other devices of their kind, are equally unjust; for the injustice of the thing, whether it be accomplished directly or by circumlocution, is in the fact that one set of shippers are thus enabled to get their goods into a market at a cost that competitive shippers cannot obtain. And this injustice is one that it is the business of our people, as a nation, to look after, for, practically, it is armed intervention, by the railroads of the nation, that in these days of small profits, turns the fortunes of the contest.

Miss the Core of the Matter.

But this is not all. If, as some of our courts have held, lesser rates, under the law as it stands today, may be given to the larger shippers, simply because their shipments are large, an unjust thing to the people of this country is being done by the law. I know the argument on which this discrimination is based. I can see that it may cost the railroads less, per ton, to carry large shipments than to carry small ones; and I appreciate the fact that always, and in every business, there has been charged to the wholesaler a smaller percentage of profit than to the retailer. But these arguments, plausible as they appear standing apart, wholly miss the core of the matter, considered in its national aspects. No one doubts that the whole structure of our business and industrial life is still built on competition.

No one doubts that the whole structure of republican institutions still rests upon proprietorship, in business and industry, widely distributed among the people. And no one doubts that competition, and the continuance of widespread individual proprietorship, depend upon fidelity to the principle that every man shall be given equal conditions, and equal opportunity, with every other man. Now, in these days of universal commerce, the rates charged by the railroads is one of the conditions upon which an individual's business will succeed or fail. To a very substantial extent, too, these rates are conditions authorized by the nation itself; for the railroads are the nation's carriers, and within the nation's reasonable control. So that, any difference in rates permitted by law, even though based on the bulk of the tonnage handled, is a direct and effective blow, by the nation itself, at the principle that every man, whatever his present business size, shall be given equal conditions and equal opportunity. To destroy that principle is to destroy competition, and further concentrate wealth in fewer hands.

Equality of Opportunity.

And after all is said, it is the individual man, at the head of his family, that is the determining unit of any government that is to remain republican; and the only atmosphere in which the individual man will continue to grow to full civic maturity, is that which opens up to him, in all directions, the avenues to a measurably successful life. True, men are not born with the same faculties. Some are born with brain fitted to organize great enterprises; some with talent to hold together and drive forward enterprises already organized; some with ability to successfully do only small things in a small way; the great majority of us with skill only to do that which is given us to do. But no man knows, until after fair trial, what place is his. And in the atmosphere of equal conditions alone, will he find his opportunity for a fair trial.

I have on other occasions, pointed out that the present corporation policy of this country, that makes the proprietorship in the country's corporate property impossible, except to those skilled in so-called methods of finance, is the great iron bar across the door to individual opportunity. A railroad policy that selects one person from among all the people of a community, that he alone may survive; or one community from all the communities, that it alone may prosper; is a heavy bolt on that door. Both policies create individual cases of wealth. But it is not wealth founded on merit. It is wealth, rather, by king's prerogative; the first through loaning the seal of the state to enterprises that often the conscience of the state would spurn; and the second, by using the toll gates on our great highways to bar out all who do not bring to the gatekeeper the password of influence. Both of these policies run athwart that law of natural selection, that hitherto has determined among us the measure of each individual's success. Both are unjust. Both are unrepublican. Both must go. The new nation, now rising, will have neither. To each of the children of the new nation the industrial command is, Go forth, increase and multiply; and it is the first business of the nation to see to it that this command be given the equal conditions on which, alone, it can be fulfilled.

Agitation Against Abuse.

No one, it seems to me, ought to be more deeply interested in the agitation now going on than the railroad men themselves. The agitation—at least so far as it is the same agitation—is not against the railroads. The agitation is against abuses that have grown up with which the railroads are connected. The farmer, for instance, is not the enemy, naturally, of the railroads. He recognizes in the railroad the strong arms that hold him and his interests close to the throbbing pulse of the world's activities. Nor is the manufacturer the railroad's enemy, naturally; nor the merchant nor the sane minded public. The only natural enemy of the railroad is that class who toil not, neither do they spin, declining to take on themselves even the exertion of the lily that draws its nourishment from the earth—that class whose cupidity does not stop with the railroad, but will be satisfied only when not one stone is left on the top of another in the whole structure of private property.

Only New Features.

Nor is the agitation new. It was not new eighteen years ago when the interstate commerce bill was passed. What is new in the present agitation is, that the people of the United States, regardless of their interest individually as shippers, have come to look upon the subject as a national concern. And what is new in the present agitation, and full of danger too, is, that from its being a question of the proper relation of the railroads to the public, on business and political principles, it may become a movement under cover of which the social and political revolutionists will push forward their assault upon the present order of American institutions. Already they are climbing over the wheels into our conservative president's wagon, determined to ride just as far as he is compelled to carry them on his way to a just solution of this problem. Already they are claiming this whole movement as their movement. Herein lies the embarrassment and the peril of the president. Right here, too, rises that grim menace, that no friend of the institution of private property anywhere can afford longer to ignore.

The big brained railroad man has, it seems to me, his hour of opportunity now. Let him insist that there shall be no confiscation of his property, or no arrangement of control or supervision that, in the long run, will amount to confiscation. Behind him, on such an issue, the country will be found to stand. But let him recognize, also, that in the nation there resides the reserve power of supervision and control, a power that the nation must exercise in the interest of equal citizenship; and let him join our president in establishing a tribunal through whom the nation's power can be honestly, but at all times promptly and adequately exercised. That will bring peace with justice. No other peace would last.

THREE SIGNIFICANT WORDS FROM GENERAL KUROPATKIN

ST. PETERSBURG, March 12.—2:30 a. m.—"Last night all our armies commenced to retreat."

The greatest defeat in the history of the Russian-Japanese war was made known in St. Petersburg last night but only in a paltry eight words from General Kuropatkin to Emperor Nicholas which were flung about the streets in newspapers and passed from mouth to mouth. Two thoughts formed instantly in the minds of everyone and two words were on every lip—surrender—peace—the former dreaded, the latter hoped for.

Public in the Dark.

General Kuropatkin is no maker of phrases, his words never are quoted like the famous "all is lost save honor," but his laconic messages probably hide more than any other two sentences in the literature of war. St. Petersburg knows nothing of the extent of the disaster, not even the lines of Kuropatkin's retreat; whether the route to Tie pass is still open, whether he is endeavoring to cut his way through to safety or whether, as many of the pessimistic believe, he has taken to the mountains. If it be the latter, he will inevitably be hemmed in and starved into surrender as Marshal Bazaine was at Metz.

The dispatch has been studied as closely as was ever the most abstruse text of scripture over which dogmatic Indians have wrestled and from the words "all our armies" the optimistic draw the deduction that the bulk of the Russian forces got away clear, the commander-in-chief sacrificing, however, the devoted rear guard, who flung themselves as prey to the Japanese wolves who were closing in on their trail and sacrificed also, it is conceded on either hand, the greater part of his heavy artillery, especially the siege guns and enormous quantities of supplies and ammunition.

General Staff Silent.

Of the present situation of the army—whether it is utterly routed or merely beaten, of the proportion of Russians left in Japanese hands or of the prospect of the escape of the remainder—St. Petersburg at this moment knows less than the smallest hamlet in America. Since the Associated Press Mukden dispatch was filed at 5 o'clock Friday morning no dispatch save the brief official announcement of the retreat has come from the Russian army. General Kuropatkin's preceding dispatch giving the last details as to the positions of the army having been written at 9 o'clock Thursday evening.

The members of the general staff when asked for information said: "We know nothing. We hope he will bring the army off safely, but we do not know how he will do it. We only know he has commenced to retreat; that is all."

Peace Seems Inevitable.

Everyone now is discussing peace which many of the staunchest advocates of the war declare to be inevitable. It openly is bruited that Rojestvensky's fleet has been recalled and is now on the way homeward. The admiralty, when asked if the report was true, said:

"We don't know; call again tomorrow," and declined to comment on the significance of the cancellation of the purchase of colliers or the direction of Rojestvensky's voyage from Madagascar waters. It can be stated, however, that no overtures for peace yet have been made and none is likely to be made for a few days before the extent of the disaster has developed.

MINE DISASTER

Explosion in Welsh Colliery Is Believed to Have Resulted in Death of 20 or 30 Miners.

CARDIFF, March 10.—A terrible explosion has occurred in Cambrian coal colliery at Clydachvale in the Rhonda valley. It is feared that 20 or 30 miners have been killed. The pit is afire. Many of those rescued from the mine are badly burned.

CRITICISM OF VERDICT OF STANFORD CORONER'S JURY

HONOLULU, March 10.—Dr. David Starr Jordan, president of Leland Stanford, Jr., university; Timothy J. Hopkins, a member of the board of trustees of the university; Captain Jules Callundan, representing a detective agency of San Francisco, and Detective Harry Reynolds of the San Francisco police department, arrived here today on the Oceanic steamship company's steamer Alameda.

President Jordan.

Dr. Jordan and Mr. Hopkins said to the correspondent of the Associated Press that they had come to show proper respect to the memory of Mrs. Stanford and to escort to San Francisco her remains.

Dr. Jordan said that all the way to Honolulu he hoped he would find on arrival that the death of the great benefactress was due to natural causes. Mrs. Stanford in conversation with him, he said, made little reference to the attempted poisoning at the Stanford mansion in San Francisco on January 14 and did not appear to think very much of it.

Dr. Jordan and Mr. Hopkins both said they had nothing whatever to do with the investigations which the police of San Francisco and Honolulu are conducting.

Detectives Callundan and Reynolds are consulting with High Sheriff Henry and will later see Miss Berner and Miss Hunt, secretary and maid respectively to Mrs. Stanford.

Verdict is Criticised.

The verdict of the coroner's jury to the effect that the death of Mrs. Stanford was due to strychnine poisoning is the subject of much adverse criticism here. Many persons declare that evidence was lacking to sustain the conclusion of the jury as to a felonious intent. The verdict was written out with the knowledge and assistance of Deputy High Sheriff Rawlins and the jurors who took less than two minutes to arrive at the verdict, immediately signed their names.

LECTURE BY PROF. RUGER

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—Prof. H. A. Ruger of Colorado college of Colorado Springs spoke before the Mothers club of this city today, his subject being "Education as Adjustment."

EAGLE SAMPLER SOLD

Battle Mountain Plant Sold for $100,000 to Men Connected With Rio Grande Sampling Company.

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—A deal involving $100,000 has been closed in the purchase of the Eagle sampler on Battle mountain. The purchasers are prominent men identified with the ownership of the Rio Grande Sampling company.

Something for Everybody

The Sunday edition of the Colorado Springs Gazette and Telegraph will appeal strongly to the reading public because of the large number of special features and because of the fact that the Sunday edition will contain something of interest to every member of the families that are subscribers.

For the little folks there will be several full pages of colored comic sketches by well-known artists, and older folks will find a variety of subjects of special interest to them.

Two full pages will be devoted to the new Carnegie library, and the story will be profusely illustrated with interior and exterior views.

H. B. Spencer contributes a special article on the treaties made by Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany during the illness of Frederick Wilhelm to induce the latter to abdicate in favor of the former's grandson, the present emperor. The story is full of historical interest and is well illustrated.

Other features will be an article by T. MacLaren on "A Distinctive Colorado Type of Architecture," with photographs, a full page of what's doing in the sporting world, and a thrilling tale by Curtis Brown on the adventures of an American woman who explored the wilds of the Congo region in Africa.

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VICTORIOUS JAPS CAPTURE THE CITY OF MUKDEN

AFTER FIERCE FIGHT STRONGHOLD IS TAKEN

Unparalleled Ferocity of Battle of Diushantun, Six Miles From Mukden — Many Prisoners Taken and Stores Captured — Main Russian Army Retreating in Disorder.

TOKIO, March 10.—The Japanese troops occupied Mukden at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

YINKOW, March 10.—Mukden fell at 10 o'clock this (Friday) morning. The Russians are panic stricken. Thousands of prisoners and enormous quantities of stores and guns have been captured.

TOKIO, March 10—Noon.—It is unofficially reported that the Russian strength west of Mukden consists of two corps.

The Japanese who destroyed the railroad are pressing the Russians northward, and the portion of the Japanese pressing the Russians northward along the Mukden road is now engaged six miles north of the Hun river.

The extreme Japanese right is within five miles of Fushun.

Nearly all the Russian heavy guns and many field guns have been captured. The Russians seem to be moving eastward toward Fushun, with the object of retiring north.

The above reference to fighting north of the Hun river conflicts with the official reports, but possibly is later news.

TOKIO, March 10—11 a. m.—The following telegram has been received from the Manchurian army headquarters in the field:

"In the direction of Singching for some days our force has been attacking the enemy, who is making an obstinate resistance.

"Finally in the neighborhood of Tieta our force at 3 o'clock Thursday morning completely dislodged the enemy, whom they are now pursuing.

"Our force in the vicinity of Machuntan continues in hot pursuit of the enemy toward Fushun.

"In the direction of the Shakhe and east and south of Mukden, we pressed the enemy to the basin of the Hun river.

"We stopped on the left bank, attacking the enemy's strong fortification west and north of Mukden.

"Our attack against the enemy, who is obstinately resisting, is being pushed vigorously.

"A heavy dust storm obscured the sun Thursday, and as a consequence the darkness precluded seeing any distance."

DEMORALIZED BY RETREAT

TOKIO, March 10—10 p. m.—Fushun was occupied by the Japanese last night. The fighting continues on the heights north of Fushun.

NEW CHWANG, March 10.—According to reliable information received here the Russians, having been driven out of Mukden and Fushun, and, with the railroad cut, are retreating in a demoralized condition to the hill country towards the northeast.

Detached bodies of Russians are roughly entrenching with a view to checking the pursuit, but no rear guard action is being fought.

It will be impossible for the Russians to keep up any sort of resistance for many days, as there are no means of provisioning in the rough country to which they are retreating.

It is believed that the Russians may attempt to reach Kirin, 225 miles northeast of Mukden, through the valleys, but a special Japanese corps from the direction of the Yalu river (probably General Kamimura's forces) threatens to cut them off.

General Kuroki is advancing northwest and is forcing the Russians against General Nogi's army.

The casualties on both sides have been enormous. The Russian sixteenth army corps was practically annihilated at Tatchekiao. Eight thousand Russians fell at Leukuanpao.

OYAMA'S MESSAGE

TOKIO, March 10—8 p. m.—Field Marshal Oyama telegraphs as follows under today's date:

"We occupied Mukden at 10 o'clock this morning.

"Our surrounding movement, in which we have been engaged for some days past, has now completely succeeded.

"The fiercest fighting continues at several places in the vicinity of Mukden.

"We captured a great number of prisoners, enormous quantities of arms, ammunition, provisions and other war supplies. There is at present no time to investigate the number of these."

SAYS WARSHIPS ARE VERY FOUL

LONDON, March 10.—The Russian naval attache here has heard nothing confirmatory of the report from Paris of the return of the squadron commanded by Vice Admiral Rojestvensky, and discredits it. He expresses the opinion that Rojestvensky's objective is to effect a juncture with the Russian third Pacific squadron which is too weak to cross the Indian ocean alone.

A dispatch from Durban, Natal, today says the captain of a collier which has arrived there from Nossi island, off the coast of Madagascar, where the Russian warships arrived Feb. 3, reports that the warships are so covered with sea weed that he does not think it possible for them to proceed. The squadron has 70,000 tons of coal.

JAPANESE HAVE TAKEN THE TOWN OF TIETA

TOKIO, March 10.—11 a. m.—Reports from Manchurian army headquarters say that the Japanese have captured Tieta. The Russians are vigorously holding and defending their fortifications north of the Hun river. A dust storm is interfering with the battle.

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ST. PETERSBURG, March 10.—10 p. m.—The extent of the disaster to General Kuropatkin's army is as yet unknown here, but the most sinister reports receive credence, and the public believes that Field Marshal Oyama has succeeded in closing the iron ring around at least a large portion of the army.

Communication with Mukden apparently is cut, as no word has arrived dated later than yesterday afternoon, when the situation of General Bilderling, who commands the rear guard, and the thousands who were fighting off the Japanese assaults almost at the walls of the city [illegible] was desperate.

Even from the east, General Kuroki pushed through until Fu pass, less than eight miles east where the Hun bends sharply to the northward, was under the Japanese guns. The opening in the net was then only twelve miles wide, and nothing but a miracle, in the opinion of many experts, could then have [illegible] the situation.

To make matters worse, General Nogi's left west of the railroad and General Kamimura's army on the east were reported, by forced marching northward, to be ready to throw themselves across the Russian line of retreat.

All accounts agree that the battle yesterday must have been fought under dreadful conditions. A dust storm of hurricane violence was blowing, concealing friend and foe, while through the opaque yellow veil the streams of wounded and camp followers plodded northward.

The war office this morning had little consolation to offer the pitiful inquirers for news. The papers are filled [illegible] in the earlier days of the fighting, and the churches are crowded with wives, mothers and sisters praying that their loved ones be spared. At last all classes seem to have joined in the common grief.

All hope of Kuropatkin waiting for an opportune moment to strike and convert defeat into victory has been abandoned, even by the military critics, and the papers, in a dolorous strain, chronicle the last and worst reverse to the Russian army.

The only consolation they find is that the Russian troops have been conquered by a wonderful foe, declaring there is something uncanny about the desperate expedient which the Japanese successfully employed at Diushantun when, during the storm, the Japanese lines actually faced about, apparently firing into their own reserves, deceiving the Russians and backing into the Russian wire entanglements before the ruse was discovered.

History, military men say, does not parallel such desperate fanatical valor.

The papers, at the same time, are filled with [illegible]. Russian diplomacy is blamed for not including in the theater of operations the territory west to the Sinmintin road, which Field Marshal Oyama used to accomplish his bold turning movement, and criticism is heaped upon Kuropatkin.

The Russ, however, while admitting Kuropatkin's faults as a strategist, insists that the responsibility should not be shouldered by him alone.

JAPANESE TROOPS MOVED NORTH IN A FIERCE DUST STORM

MUKDEN, Thursday, March 9.—Midnight, filed at 5 a. m., March 10.—Nature today raised her hand against the frightful slaughter west and northwest of Mukden, the hurricane of wind which has been raging since morning having raised a blinding dust storm upon the broad flat Liao river valley in which it was impossible at times to see at a distance of two hundred paces.

Unable to distinguish objectives both armies necessarily ceased to a large extent their artillery and rifle fire and a strange boding of quiet reigned along the western and northern fronts. There is strong reason to believe, however, that the Japanese columns spent the day in an unintermittent movement northward to occupy positions for a still more vigorous attack on the railroad the minute the storm clears.

The situation is too extremely serious to discuss and owing to the censorship cannot be given, but in general the lines held by the Japanese yesterday west and north were as follows:

Beginning at the village of Suhetun, on the Hun river, and running north through the village of Lifuyantun, six miles west of Mukden railroad station to Tatchekiao, thence turning northeast along the valley of the Pu river to the village of Taudyatun, nine miles north—northeast of Mukden and six miles west of the railroad, and thence continuing generally northward toward Tie Pass. In places the Japanese bent their lines sharply inward as at the imperial tombs which their shells are reaching and where the railroad turns eastward.

One small body of Japanese crossed the railroad to the east of the line. Beyond this screen, columns of Japanese with artillery were moving north one after another and the evacuation of Mukden became imperative.

All day long, military trains were departing northward and the railroad line was closed to civilian and passenger traffic. Both the railroad and telegraph lines were several times damaged by the Japanese whose shells reached the railroad.

The Red Cross, both nurses and surgeons distinguished themselves by working under fire and a regiment of the imperial rifles fought with indescribable valor. The double eagle on top the standard of this regiment was carried away by a shell, and should, it is claimed here, be replaced by a St. George's cross which every survivor earned.

The commissariat arrangements were working better than expected in the face of such a battle, the troops receiving hot victuals.

FEARFUL CARNAGE TOOK PLACE OUTSIDE THE CITY OF MUKDEN

MUKDEN, Thursday, March 9—10 a. m.—The Japanese last night pushed up from the south across the abandoned plain between the Shakhe and Hun rivers and are, as this dispatch is filed, about five miles south of the latter, and from the Hun, opposite Machiapu, and northward Japanese batteries are pouring in a ceaseless fire.

The Japanese succeeded in emplacing siege guns and mortars at Diushantun, about six miles west of this city, whence they opened fire before dawn. Diushantun was the scene yesterday of the bloodiest and most desperate fighting of all this terrible battle. Its possession was vital to the Japanese, who stormed it again and again.

The Russians dislodged them, but the Japanese finally recaptured the village after much hand-to-hand fighting.

Eye witnesses say the dead scattered in the streets, yards and houses, have been unburied for four days. Rifles and other arms lie about, wrenched and twisted. Hand grenades were thrown by the Japanese and the garrison was subjected to the concentrated fire of as many as a hundred guns.

Once Diushantun in their hands, the Japanese can train guns on Mukden railroad station and it has been held at a frightful cost. The Japanese are also concentrating their efforts about seven miles north of Mukden and about five miles west of the railroad, with the object of breaking through and cutting off the surrounding troops below.

A blinding dust storm has been raging since daylight and the day promises to witness a most gruesome encounter, the result of which no one here can foresee.

"Our troops occupied Mukden 10 a. m. Friday.

"Our enveloping movements since some days proved successful and the bloodiest battle is now proceeding in various places near Mukden."

REVOLUTIONISTS WERE ARRESTED

MOSCOW, March 10.—Six Russians, alleged to be members of the executive revolutionary committee of Moscow, have been arrested in Marseilles, France.

A search made in the rooms occupied by the prisoners is said to have disclosed the fact that they had been charged with the assassination of the Russian Grand Duke Alexis and Vladimar and that they should have left Marseilles at once to execute their plan.

TO FIGHT AGAINST INSURRECTIONISTS

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 10.—Altogether, thirty-two battalions of Turkish reinforcements have been called out to cope with the insurrection in the province of Yemen, Arabia. All Riza Pasha, with seven battalions and a battery of artillery, has left Hodeida for Manakha. The road to Manakha is open, but fighting is anticipated from Manakha on to Sanaa.

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PARIS, March 10.—The Russian embassy officials explain General Kuropatkin's retreat as being part of a settled plan. They say the real struggle will occur at Harbin, where the Russians will concentrate large reinforcements.

[illegible]

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Fushun has been captured by the Japanese forces according to the following cablegram received by the Japanese legation from Tokio under today's date:

"Our detachments occupied Fushun on the night of March 9 and now are attacking the enemy who is posted at the angle of the heights north of Fushun."

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The Japanese legation today received the following cablegram from Tokio:

SHIPS ARE IN A BAD WAY.

LONDON, March 10.—According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Telegraph a telegram from Admiral Rojestvensky, not yet published, states that four of his warships are incapacitated for firing because they are too heavily armed, and that the problem of coaling has become so difficult that he feared he would be unable to proceed to the Far East.

DISORDERS IN SOUTH OF RUSSIA

ST. PETERSBURG, March 10 1:40 p. m.—The peasant disorders in the south of Russia have become so serious in the governments of Chernigoff, Orel and Kursk, that the war office has been obliged to despatch troops thither to put down the uprisings and restore order.

The peasants have formed bands and have been wreaking vengeance by wholesale, burning and pillaging property.

A sugar merchant of St. Petersburg has received word of the destruction of a large refinery by incendiarism, the loss involving hundreds of thousands of rubles.

DEPOSITIONS IN BURNS-DOYLE SUIT

AFFIDAVIT OF CHAS. BOVARD TO THE EFFECT THAT HE SAW BOTH MEN AT WORK ON CLAIM

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., March 10.—Reading of depositions was continued in the trial of the Portland Mining suit today. The defense objected to the affidavit of Charles Bovard of Cripple Creek, but it was admitted. Bovard testified that he saw the names of both Doyle and Burns on the Tidal Wave claim stake.

Depositions of other witnesses stated that they saw the two men working together on that claim, which is one of the three in controversy.

FUNERAL SERVICE OF LATE SENATOR

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Funeral services for Senator William B. Bate, of Tennessee, were held in the senate chamber today. The president, members of his cabinet, the chief justice and associate justices of the supreme court, and the diplomatic corps, members of the house, and representatives of the army, were present and occupied seats in the chamber.

The galleries were crowded, and extra seats had been placed on the floor.

The remains will lie in the closed senate chamber until this evening, when they will be taken to Nashville, Tenn., on a special train.

[illegible] SUPREME COURT

Colorado Assembly Propounds Interrogatories to Jurists, Asking Advice on the Question of Declaring a Vacancy.

Special to the Gazette.

DENVER, March 10.—The joint assembly and both houses of the legislature have adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday morning. Neither the joint assembly nor the house transacted any business whatever this morning.

In the senate, the committee to propound interrogatories to the supreme court handed in its report. Senator Hill led the fight against the adoption of the report, on the part of the Democrats.

The report was, however, adopted by a strict party vote. The interrogatories to be propounded to the supreme court are three, depending upon the Alexander report from the committee on contests.

Senators Alexander, Campbell, Parks, Anfenger and Taylor handed the interrogatories to be submitted to the court at noon. The judges had gone home, so the matter will be given to them at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Lieutenant Governor McDonald will remain in the senate chamber to receive any communication which the supreme court may have to make. If they should decide to take up the matter, counsel for the senate will ask a hearing as soon as possible.

John M. Waldron will represent the senate. No other counsel has been announced, and probably will not be until the court announces whether or not it will take the matter up at all.

INTERROGATORIES WERE SUBMITTED TO THE COURT

DENVER, March 10.—The senate committee named to draft the interrogatories to the supreme court met last evening and spent two hours over the form they should take. Attorney J. M. Waldron appeared in the interest of Governor Peabody; Alva B. Adams represented his father, and James F. Callbreath, Jr., looked after the interest of the lieutenant governor at the request of Senator Alexander.

The petition to the court, which was submitted this morning by the committee and the attorneys for the parties in interest sets forth the issues that have arisen leading to the request for an opinion from the court, the holding of the election, the canvass of the returns by the legislature, the seating of Adams and the contest and the election of Jesse F. McDonald as lieutenant governor. The reports of the contest committee to the joint assembly are set forth, the Alexander report as amended, being given in full. The petition to the court then proceeds as follows:

That in view of such existing conditions and to enable the said convention to discharge its legal and constitutional duties in the premises, a resolution was duly adopted by the said joint convention so assembled, requesting the senate of the said general assembly to submit to the supreme court of the state of Colorado the questions hereinafter specifically stated, and the said senate in due form adopted a resolution requesting that said questions be forthwith submitted to the said supreme court for its opinion in the premises, which said questions are in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

Three Interrogatories Which The Court Will Consider

Interrogatory I. Can the two houses of the general assembly in said joint convention assembled, in said contest proceedings legally adopt the said Alexander report upon the facts set forth and recited therein?

Interrogatory II. Can the said joint convention so assembled legally declare a vacancy to exist in the office of governor of the state of Colorado upon the facts recited and set forth in the said Alexander report?

Interrogatory III. Can the said joint convention, in the pending contest proceedings, in the event of the adoption of said Alexander report, legally decide who is entitled to the office of governor of Colorado, or does the constitution of Colorado provide in such event who is entitled to such office, and if so, what person is so entitled under said constitution?

The said court is hereby respectfully advised and informed that the questions and each of them so submitted for its opinion are important questions upon a solemn occasion, and that the situation is so grave and serious that the highest public interests require that the said honorable supreme court shall, at the earliest possible moment, render and deliver its opinion to the said senate, to the end that the same may be thereupon transmitted to the said joint convention upon each, every and all of the foregoing questions.

Duly adopted by resolution in that behalf by the senate of the Fifteenth general assembly of the state of Colorado, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1905.

MORTON ALEXANDER,
FRED W. PARKS,
L. D. CAMPBELL,
E. T. TAYLOR,
M. L. ANFENGER.

BRYAN PRAISES LA FOLLETTE

MADISON, Wis., March 10.—On invitation of both houses, Colonel W. J. Bryan today addressed the Wisconsin legislature. Governor LaFollette was present. Mr. Bryan championed the reform measures of the state administration.

He characterized Governor LaFollette as the first and foremost champion of reform in the Republican party in the United States. The speaker opposed the influence of corporations in politics, and he particularly scored the railroads.

He predicted that the railroads would yet combine with the Standard Oil company in Kansas to put out of business the state oil refinery. Mr. Bryan, however, believed that the Kansas people would then be aroused to crush the monopolies in that state.

Governor LaFollette later entertained Colonel Bryan at luncheon.

FRENCH STRIKERS FIGHT THE TROOPS

BREST, France, March 10.—The strike agitations here are continuous. The strikers today attempted to erect street barricades, which the troops destroyed. Frequent affrays occurred between the troops and the strikers and many arrests have been made. The city council, which is composed of Socialists, sympathizes with the strikers, and has voted $400 for their relief. The higher authorities are considering the question of government interference for the dissolution of the council.

OLIVER HOPKINSON DEAD.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Oliver Hopkinson, head of one of the oldest and most distinguished families in Philadelphia, died today of pneumonia, aged 93 years.

NOMINATIONS.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The president today sent to the senate the following nominations.

District judge—Edward Whitson, eastern district of Washington; brigadier general, on the retired list of the army—Colonel Allen Smith, Sixth cavalry. Also other promotions in the army and navy.

REVOKES NEW YORK CHARTER

CLEVELAND, March 10.—Grand Chief Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, today revoked the charter of the striking Interborough Engineers in New York.

Grand Chief Warren S. Stone and Assistant Grand Chief E. W. Hurley arrived here from New York today and at once called a meeting of the grand council of the organization, to consider the strike situation.

At the conclusion of the meeting the following telegram was sent to W. L. Jencks, at New York city:

"Taking effect at once the charter of subdivision No. 105 is recalled. You will forward charter and all books belonging to the subdivision to this office by express. W. S. STONE, G. C. E."

Mr. Stone stated that the action was taken on the ground that the brotherhood had a contract with the Interborough company covering a period of three years, which had been signed in September last and that the engineers struck without consulting the officers of the brotherhood.

Scores of strikers appeared at the offices of the Interborough company during the forenoon to apply for their old positions. One of the men, a train guard, declared that half of the men were forced into the strike without knowing what they were going on strike for.

A large number of letters containing warnings of premised attempts to destroy the company's property by the use of dynamite were received by General Manager Hedley today.

PHILIPPINES BONDS BROUGHT A PREMIUM

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The Mercantile Trust company, of St. Louis, was the highest bidder today for the $2,500,000 issue of 10-30 four per cent Philippine public works bonds. Their bid for the entire issue was $2,725,500, or at the rate of $109.06.

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FRAUDS IN NATURALIZATION ARE TO BE THE SUBJECT OF LEGISLATION BY CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The special commission created by the president to consider the subject of naturalization will, it is expected, be prepared to submit to congress at the next regular session a full report upon this important subject.

The president has shown a lively interest in the matter, not only having before him, reports of federal officers containing many specific instances of gross fraud and error in connection with the application of the present naturalization laws, but having himself, while connected with the municipal government of New York city, noted many of these evils.

Besides internal fraud, the insufficiency of the existing naturalization law has involved the state department in endless trouble with European governments, growing out of cases of doubtful naturalization.

Gaillard Hunt, the present chief of the passport bureau of the state department, who will be the chairman of the new committee has given much study to this subject and his report thereon has been laid before congress.

It reveals an amazing number of cases of false, fraudulent, improper and improvident naturalizations and a wholesale forgery and sale of spurious certificates, particularly in the case of those issued to Italians and Haitians.

The most primitive ignorance is occasionally shown by the judges of local courts in this subject of naturalization laws.

Some of the questions which are likely to come before the commission are these: The propriety of restricting closely to certain courts the right to naturalize. A particular definition of the testimony necessary to secure naturalization. The advisability of printing certificates on distinctive paper to prevent counterfeiting and to separate declarations of intention from the final certificates.

The advisability of requiring in the certificates a statement of birth and of date of arrival in this country of the holder. And finally the propriety of requiring returns at stated periods to the general government of all naturalization and declarations of intention to become citizens.

[illegible]Y ON [illegible] MONDAY

Chadwick Arguments to Consume Nearly Three Days.

CLEVELAND, March 10.—It is probable that the Chadwick case will not be given to the jury until some time on Monday. Soon after court opened today, it was agreed that the arguments should be practically unlimited.

Neither District Attorney Sullivan nor Attorney Dawley, for the defense, was able to say just how much time would be required, but both were of the opinion that all the arguments would consume more than the two sessions of today.

Thomas H. Garry, the assistant district attorney, opened the argument for the government. He confined himself chiefly to the law of the case, alleging that an agreement to commit an unlawful act was in itself a conspiracy, and that the agreement carried with it the intent to violate the law.

Mr. Garry was followed by Mr. Hawley for the defense.

The closing arguments will be delivered by J. G. Wing for Mrs. Chadwick, and District Attorney Sullivan for the government.

CLEVELAND, March 10.—Andrew Carnegie is now definitely out of the present trial of Mrs. Chadwick. If she should be acquitted this time Mr. Carnegie might appear at a subsequent trial but as far as the existing case is concerned his pay was given to him and he is at liberty to go home.

United States Marshal Chandler today made out a check for $64.40 to Mr. Carnegie's order and it is held in the marshal's office pending Mr. Carnegie's call for it. If he does not call it will be mailed to him.

NEW YORK RAILWAY MEN CONTINUE THEIR STRIKE

NEW YORK, March 10.—Despite sensational reports that organized demonstrations would be made by strikers against the men who have taken their places in the subway and on the elevated lines, which were circulated during the night, no trouble of any kind had occurred today.

At the same time it was apparent that the strike against the Interborough Rapid Transit company, which was repudiated yesterday by the national officers of the organizations involved, still continued.

Although the national officers had ordered the strikers to return to work, expulsion from the union being the penalty for failure to obey in some cases, diligent inquiry along the various lines today failed to show that the order had been heeded.

While there was some improvement in the operation of trains on all lines today, the normal standard of efficiency of service has not yet been approached.

The biggest crowds since the strike began flocked to the uptown subway stations during the morning rush hours today. At the 96th street station two persons were severely injured in the crash and many others were roughly handled.

The same conditions were repeated at many other points, along the line but no more serious accidents were reported.

The severely taxed surface lines also had their troubles today. Accidents on both the Eighth avenue and Columbus avenue lines during the height of the morning rush blocked the tracks and resulted in increased congestion for a time.

TALKED WITH WILSON ON QUARANTINE REGULATIONS

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture and Dr. Salmon, chief of the bureau of animal industry of that department, were in consulation with a delegation representing the National Cattle Growers association, relative to the quarantine regulations of the approaching season under the law enacted at the last session of congress. The delegation consisted of Messrs. Murdo Mackenzie of Colorado and Texas; E. McCrellis of Colorado; and Paul McCormick of Montana and W. G. Comstock of Nebraska.

The subject of controversy is the treatment of cattle which have had opportunity for infection from mange, which has given the department much concern.

WILLIAM PRAISES JAPS.

BERLIN, March 10.—Emperor William, addressing the naval recruits at Wilhelmshaven today, held up the Japanese soldiers as luminous examples of patriotism and soldierly fidelity.

MARTIN HANGED.

TORONTO, Ont., March 10.—Alexander Martin was hanged here today for the murder of his child.

HORSE TAKES MAIL ON SNOW SHOES

SARATOGA, Wyo., March 10.—Uncle Sam has to overcome many difficulties in winter time to supply mining camps in the mountains with mail. The town of Dillon, which is supplied tri-weekly from this place is at an altitude of 9,000 feet. Up to the first of February the mail contractor managed to keep the trail open for sledges, but there came such a snowfall at that time that sleds had to be abandoned and the mail carried on snow shoes.

The contractor has secured the services of a Swede who has a horse which he has taught to travel on snow shoes, and from this time on the horse will draw a specially constructed hand sled, capable of carrying from 100 to 200 pounds. This will enable the people of Dillon to get small packages of express and other light matter along with their mail. The difficult portion of the road is about four miles in length on the top of the divide, where the snow is very deep.

FITCH TAKES THE PLACE OF FELLOWS

WASHINGTON, March 10.—C. H. Fitch was today assigned as supervising engineer to take charge of the general irrigation work in Colorado under the reclamation service, to succeed A. L. Fellows, who leaves the United States service to become state engineer of North Dakota.

Engineer Fitch, whose headquarters will be at Denver, is a veteran in government service as an engineer, and has won an enviable record through his work of surveying and map making of Indian territory.

Engineer Fellows' severance of his connection with the geological survey is much regretted at headquarters here. His work during the past few years has been confined largely to the Dakotas.

Rider Haggard on Colorado.

H. Rider Haggard was among those who called upon F. H. Newell in charge of the reclamation service of the geological survey today. Mr. Haggard and Mr. Newell held a conference of considerable length regarding irrigation matters in general.

The famed English novelist has been sent out by his government to study conditions relative to irrigation, not only in this country, but will journey to Australia to look over the irrigation projects in that portion of King Edward's domains, applying such suggestions as he may pick up in this country to the furtherance of projects within the domain of Great Britain.

During his visit in the United States, Mr. Haggard will visit Colorado, making special study of affairs in the colony organized by the Salvation Army at Amity, Colo. Mr. Haggard expects to start westward early next week.

PEASANTS LOOTING

LONDON, March 10.—A dispatch from Kieff to the Daily Mail says:

An army of 300 peasants from the Orlovoka district is advancing southwesterly. Burning and looting of estates is in progress. Eighteen estates have already been sacked. The Michaeloffsky sugar refinery belonging to the Tereschenko Bros., in the Techernigoff government, has been burned and all the employes have been robbed of their belongings. It is also reported that the peasants have burned the Deruignsky refinery, belonging to the crown. A strong military force has been sent to suppress the rising.

PLOT FAILED

OREGON MAN TRIED TO MURDER ANOTHER TO GET INSURANCE—WOUNDED, BUT ALIVE.

COTTAGE GROVE, Ore., March 10.—The city marshal of this place received a letter purporting to be written by John Fletcher, stating that the writer had decided to commit suicide and telling the marshal where to find the body.

Fletcher was found as indicated with a bullet wound in his head, but alive. Developments tend to show that he was shot by John Branton, who, it is said, wrote the letter.

The crime, is alleged, was carried out with a view to getting life insurance of $3,000 payable to Branton at Fletcher's death.

TWO MEN FIRED AT THE GOVERNOR

ST. PETERSBURG, March 10.—Col. Progoulbitsky, governor of the province of Kutais, has been the object of an attempted assassination by two men at Sukhum. The would-be murderers fired six shots from revolvers at the governor, but he was not struck. The motive of the attempt is believed to have been political.

HEAVY RAINS IN NEW MEXICO

ALBUQUERQUE, March 10.—All Santa Fe trains for the west are held at this point indefinitely. Heavy rains to the west and south have swollen all streams along the Santa Fe-Pacific and the Rio Grande divisions of the Santa Fe, and the line is badly crippled.

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SOME MEN'S WIVES.

"This place is perfect," Charles Kingsley wrote to his wife from the seaside, "but it seems a dream and imperfect without you. I never before felt the loneliness of being without the beloved being whose every look and word and motion are the keynotes of my life. People talk of love ending at the altar—Fools!"

Within a few days of his death, having escaped from his sick room, he sat by the bedside of his wife, who was also lying seriously ill. Taking her hand tenderly in his, he said, in a hushed voice: "Don't speak, darling, this is heaven."

John Bright spoke of his wife as the "sunshine and solace of his days." When she died he said: "It seems to me as though the world was plunged in darkness, and that no ray of light could veer reach me again this side of the tomb."

It was Cobden who shook him at last from the lethargy and despair which were paralyzing his splendid energies. "There are thousands of homes in England, at this moment," he said, "where wives, mothers and children are dying of hunger. Now, when the first paroxysm of your grief is past, I would advise you to come with me, and we will never rest until the Corn law is repealed."

Dean Stanley said: "If I were to epitomize my wife's qualities, I couldn't do it better than in the words of the cabman who drove us on our honeymoon. 'Your wife,' he said to me, 'is the best woman in England'—and I quite agree with him."

"Why should you pity me?" Mr. Fawcett, the blind postmaster general, remarked to a friend who had addressed sympathy with him in his affliction. "My wife is all the eyes I want, and no man ever looked out on the world through eyes more sweet or true."

No man ever relied more completely on his wife's guidance and counsel than John Keble, the poet of "Christian Year." She was, as he often declared, his "conscience, memory and common sense."

Dr. Pussey declared that the very sight and smell of the verbena affected him to tears, for it was a sprig of verbena he offered to Miss Barber when he asked her to marry him—"the most sacred and blissful moment" of his life.

Dr. Wordsworth, late bishop of Lincoln, said that his wedded life had been "as near perfection as was possible this side of Eden."—Tit-Bits.

ANNE WARNER'S STORY.

"The best story I ever heard," said Anne Warner (Mrs. Charles Ellis French), the creator of the original "Susan Clegg," before she sailed abroad the other day, "was told me by an advising matron whose matrimonial happiness was the topic of conversation. Without any sense of humor she said, 'The year around I do all the love-making—make all the allowances—lay myself out to be agreeable. But when Christmas morning comes, I never fail to find a letter by my plate telling me what my love has been to Horace all through the year—and that letter makes up for all the coldness, all the apparent neglect. And Christmas Eve, when we sit together, I always say, "Horace" have you written any letter yet?" and if he hasn't, he always goes and does it directly.'"

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A HOMICIDAL MOTIVE.

The Bad Dancer—One more turn and I would have lost my breath entirely.

The Victim—Just one more turn, please, Mr. Ponsonby.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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STILL AT IT.

Bertha—When he asked me to be his wife, he swore he would always be good to me.

Hester—And now that you are married, has he always kept his word?

Bertha—Well, no, I can't say that he has; but he continues to swear.—Boston Transcript.

Tale of the Last Canvas

HENRY SELDEN gazed at the approaching twilight from his studio window reflectively, then, governed by an impulse of anger and despair, strode toward the unfinished picture of the seas and distant sails that stood on his easel. A pause, the flash of a sharp knife that murderously cut the painting, and then he flung it crashing into the corner.

"Gone," he said, "like many a better one." In a moment bitterness had struck him silent, and the destructive knife clattered on the floor; his hands went into the trousers pockets. A second later he gazed ruefully at a shining quarter in his hand, and muttered as he looked.

"After all, beautiful pictures seem less beautiful when the stomach is empty." Here he shot a glance at the mass of wreckage in the corner. "I shall at least have one more meal before I start my last canvas." The pangs of an eager appetite urged him to don hat and coat and to leave the studio, where the fading light was becoming grim and ghostly.

As he climbed down the narrow stairs into the chill atmosphere of the late December, the wind seemed to turn with a sudden fury upon him. He huddled into his coat, quivering with cold, and gazed mutely at the flickering yellows of distant street lamps.

The young artist turned the corner and came upon the restaurant. He was soon among the odors of cooked meats and vegetables. Then came his period of anxiety as he gazed upon the napkin, plate and silverware before him. He could have howled his protest at the delay in serving the order, but refrained and began upon the square of butter. Before he knew it, this had disappeared. He ordered more, and with it came the long-desired meal. Who can picture the joy of this starving youth? It would be surely useless to describe his antics.

After he had gorged his famished stomach, he picked up a vagrant chop and roll which the man on the opposite side of the table had left and slipped them slyly into his pocket. The waiter watched and wondered, but said nothing, and saw the young man's last coin clatter in payment on the counter.

Henry started back to his studio, which lately, by reason of his depression in finances, had become lodgings, and, as he thought, must remain such to the end.

"Optimism and fat pocketbooks are good bedfellows," said Henry, moodily, "but they're not my relatives and don't appear anxious to rub elbows with me. Well, I suppose I'll have to stand it all."

He walked briskly, thinking of the past six months of fruitless labor. Picture after picture had been unsalable, and fate seemed to mock at and jeer each beginning, until hope had wasted to a mere skeleton as thin as his purse. When he had reached the long flight of stone steps leading to his room, he saw a small bundle in a distant corner, which he realized was not there when he went out.

The young man, becoming curious, went forward, and the result was an affectionate purr and a rubbing against his trouser leg.

"Gosh! It's a cat," and he gathered the creature into his arms. It lay there silent and purred up at him.

Henry carried pussy upstairs, and after lighting the gas, beheld his prize to be a very handsome animal that ran about and gazed wistfully at his coat pocket. The chop at once came into view and his charge lost no time in putting it to the best advantage, likewise the roll.

"Misery loves company, by Jove!" said Henry. "But I'll paint my company." So the beautiful creature, starving like himself, had found him, and lay serene among pillows of red and green, while the remaining canvas sweated beneath the furious brushes. At midnight the work was complete. The great round face and beautiful eyes stared from the center of the picture, and master and servant slept. Trouble seemed to have forgotten them.

The next morning Henry took the painting to Dolliver's. Mr. Dolliver gazed upon it a moment, and then uttered a single sentence:

"By George, that's grand!"

Henry shuddered at the praise; it seemed foreign, but Mr. Dolliver grasped the young man's hand and pressed a check into it, saying:

"More, boy, more, and the world is your slave!"

He went back to the studio and gathered the cat into his arms, happy, though weeping like a child.

MRS. E. F. FISHER.

INDIGNANT TALENT.

A lecturer, who has always flattered himself that he was in the front rank of public speakers, felt a trifle indignant over his introduction to a western audience by the chairman of the committee having charge of the town lecture course. It was the opening night of the course, and the chairman said:

"Ladies and gentlemen: This is, as you know, the opening night of our town lecture course. I think that most of you know also that our lecture course last winter was not a financial success, and we ran behind nearly one hundred dollars. To avoid a recurrence of this we have engaged cheaper talent, the first of which will now address you."—Puck.

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CHEMICAL SIDE LIGHTS ON HISTORY.

The Queen of Sheba was trying to bunco Solomon with a wreath of fake roses.

"Peace, Sheba," said Solomon, "thou talkest too much. Silence is golden."

"Nay, Sol, fool not thyself; talk is tin to the salesman."—Columbia Jester.

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MONEY WELL SPENT.

Mamma—I gave you a nickel to be good yesterday, and today you are evidently trying to show how bad you can be.

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THE SANTO DOMINGO TREATY.

SENATOR LODGE accurately and concisely sized up the situation in Santo Domingo and the reasons why our Government should take charge of the finances of that country when he said:

"The conditions existing in Santo Domingo and Hayti which demand intervention lie at our door. We have condemned that island to the condition in which it now is. We have said to the world: 'Not one of you shall go in to maintain order and make that island what it can be, one of the most prosperous in the world, and we will not do it ourselves.' We have stood here with all our power and shut out from that island all possibility of order and civilization. Those people have passed from revolution to revolution; they are in a state of helpless, miserable anarchy. In the island of Hayti they are sinking back into voodooism, fetichism, and even cannibalism. That island, as it stands today, is a disgrace to the American hemisphere. That we have not there better order, some progress, better guaranties for life and property, is owing to our policy! We would not allow anybody to help them; we would not allow anybody to interfere we are quite right in that, of course and we decline to interfere ourselves. I do not think that this attitude of the dog in the manger a worthy one."

Secretary Hay has issued a statement fully explaining the position of President Roosevelt and the State Department in their dealings with the island republic, and which should set at rest the absurd talk of the supposed efforts of the Executive to "usurp the prerogatives of the Senate." The pending treaty has been amended by the Senate Committee and its phraseology changed in several places so as to eliminate the chance of it being used as a precedent for similar action toward other Latin-American nations. In this form it will probably be enacted and the work of rehabilitating the Dominican finances will begin in earnest.

While Santo Domingo will of course be the greatest beneficiary of this action it is not to be regarded as purely a matter of philanthropy. The interests of the United States are greater than those of any other foreign nation, and they can be adequately protected in no other way than the one adopted. Those who criticise the President's course as rash and likely to establish a bad precedent overlook this fact; otherwise they would have to admit its thorough wisdom.

SIGNS OF PROMISE.

A PRESS dispatch from Chicago yesterday stated that the Central Passenger Association had granted low rates to Colorado common points for eighty annual conventions that are to be held in Denver during the coming spring, summer and fall.

It is doubtful if any considerable percentage of the citizens of Colorado who are most interested have any notion as to what the summer is going to bring forth in the nature of tourist traffic. All crowds of the past three or four years, each of which has shown an increase in numbers over that of the last preceding year, have been small in the sight of the old residents when compared with the crowds of 1892, when the Knights Templar held their conclave in Denver.

There is every indication at this time, however, that the summer of 1905 will so far eclipse that of 1892 that the latter will be forgotten. Hotels and boarding houses may well plan for the greatest rush of business during the coming summer that they have ever had, and the merchants and tourist accommodation interests of the state seem certain to enjoy a greater degree of prosperity during this season than they have known for a long time.

No other city in Colorado is so favored by nature as is Colorado Springs for reaping a rich harvest from a big tourist season. All the Colorado scenic attractions which tourists and visitors know they must visit regardless of the brevity of their stay in the state are tributary to this city and its business institutions.

Each citizen of Colorado Springs should make it a part of his personal duty between now and the opening of the active tourist season to make his own home as attractive as possible. The streets should be cleared of weeds and if a coat of paint is needed to make the attractiveness of the house complete it should be put on. The visitors who will inspect this city during the season will number high in tens of thousands and the better appearance the city presents the more permanent benefit will be derived.

A NATION OF COFFEE-DRINKERS.

IF IT is true that coffee-drinking promotes dyspepsia and nervousness—and that it does seems to be pretty generally admitted—it looks as though the American race is laying up a legacy of suffering from weak stomachs and nerves for the next generation. A recent report of the Bureau of Statistics shows that last year this country consumed nearly one-half of all the coffee marketed in the world; that is, 1,053,000,000 pounds out of a total of 2,280,000,000 pounds. The average consumption of coffee in this country last year was 13.84 pounds, as against six pounds in 1870 and three pounds in 1830.

No other country begins to compare with the United States in the quantity of coffee used. In 1904 Germany imported 400,000,000 pounds, while England, where tea remains the favorite beverage, took only 35,000,000 pounds, about one-thirtieth as much as the United States.

It would be interesting to know how long this rapid increase in the per capita consumption of coffee will continue, and what effect it will have on the national character. In the period of forty years from 1830 to 1870 there was a gain of 100 per cent, and in the succeeding period of thirty-five years the increase was even larger. Apparently Americans will soon be drinking coffee in greater quantities than Germans drink beer, but while beer-drinking seems to have little if any injurious effect on the health of the German race, as much can not be said for the effects of coffee on Americans. The condition of acute nervous strain bordering on prostration, sometimes called "Americanitis," is without doubt due in part to over-indulgence in the favorite beverage, but in vain the physicians and dietary experts sound their warnings—coffee drinking is steadily on the increase.

It is said, however, that the national physique is gradually improving in spite of coffee through the present popularity of athletics and physical culture. Outdoor sports are more in favor now than ever before and there is a growing tendency on the part of everybody who can to get out in the open and stay there as much as possible. If this vogue continues, as it unquestionably will, it is likely to produce sounder health for the entire nation, a condition that will be held to justify a continuance of the use of coffee and other stimulants at an ever increasing rate.

The death of an aged citizen of this city last Sunday, whose wife had died only a few weeks before, was a matter of some little comment. The case is given a renewed interest by the fact that yesterday another aged citizen died whose wife preceded him by only six weeks. Furthermore both the wives of these men died on the same day, January 17.

A Colorado Springs man has accepted $50 in settlement of a $5,000 damage suit that has been pending against a railroad company for ten years. The only trouble with the railroad company's legal department was that it did not delay the case a few days longer.

During the fall campaign in this state the Democrats spent a great deal of breath shouting "Anybody but Peabody." There has not been so much as an echo of this slogan since McDonald loomed up on the horizon.

Probably the greatest performance of "taking to the hills" ever enacted is that now in progress on the rugged slopes northeast of Mukden.

Press Opinions

HILLS STILL WITH US.

A Boston man has proved, so he declares, that the earth is flat. We notice, however, that the automobile makers continue to emphasize the hill-climbing powers of their respective machines.—Chicago Record-Herald.

PERILOUSLY NEAR THE LIMIT.

John L. Sullivan gives it as his opinion that Dr. Osler is "a chump." John L., too, is edging along toward the limit of usefulness—according to Dr. Osler's theory we mean, of course.—Chicago Record-Herald.

POWER OF EXAMPLE.

The performing ape at a Brooklyn theater chewed up $120 belonging to his trainer last week, but some of the collateral and evolved members of his family have been known to chew up $100,000 at a single dinner party.—Boston Examiner.

ON THE WARPATH.

The fact that the Osage Indians have also taken the warpath against the Standard in Kansas gives additional evidence of the strenuousness the scalp dance is taking on. Johndee may find that baldness is sometimes a blessing, after all.—Indianapolis News.

ARMED FOR THE FRAY.

On the heels of the announcement that Mr. Garfield is going after the Standard Oil trust the statement is made that Mr. Rockefeller weighs 200 pounds, has splendid digestion and no hair that can be pulled. Sounds like a challenge.—Washington Post.

RIGHT AT HOME.

Russian soldiers who have demonstrated their ability to throw hand grenades may have taken their lessons in the school where the objective is to strike a grand duke, for there is little difference between a bomb and a grenade and their use by the Russian army may be a concession to the revolutionary societies.—Omaha Bee.

Colorado Comment.

GREAT CONSUMERS BUT LIGHT PRODUCERS.

The canning, pickling and preserving industry is generally neglected in Colorado. We are great consumers and light producers of vegetables and fruits in tin.—Durango Democrat.

BLUE-STEM.

Monday H. T. Miller received from the department of agriculture six large mail sacks containing blue-stem from the Milk river, Montana. He has enough seed to plant five acres and has the ground already prepared. The experiment will be made on a tract of land above any water. This variety of blue-stem is much larger than that common in this state and makes a much more dense and luxuriant growth. Much is hoped for from this experiment. Mr. Miller was the first asked to try the macaroni wheat in Colorado by the department. He also has been engaged in experimenting with brome grass above water and has been quite successful with that.—Fort Collins Express.

GOOD ROADS.

A new organization is planned for Canon that will be of great benefit.

It is a Good Roads association. The object will be to look after the streets and roads in the vicinity of Canon. The streets and roads have been very poorly cared for in recent years. It is believed if an association of those most interested is organized much improvement will be made.

The city council and board of commissioners are composed of men who are not particularly interested in good streets or roads. They are men who do not drive much and have to rely largely upon individual complaints to know the conditions. This is always uncertain and does not bring ready relief.—Canon City Clipper.

Near to Nature

MARYLAND GEOGRAPHY.

Ape's Hole is in Somerset county.—Baltimore News.

TAKES UP THE WHITE MAN'S BURDEN.

Last Saturday the stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madden and left a bouncing baby girl. Charley has discarded his buccarro walk and now treads the way of the wise.—Ontario (Ore.) Argus.

SURPRISING SUCCESS OF THE EVANS PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans gave a party to the young people of this vicinity. All enjoyed a splendid evening. Some were so well pleased that they remained all night. Eight Mile correspondence, Ione (Wash.) Proclaimer.

AS IT IS IN ONTARIO.

When a woman with a lot of children and baskets and valises leaves on the train in Ontario there is no one to see her off, but when a young girl, with nothing to carry but an empty pocketbook, leaves there are enough people at the train to start a town.—Ontario (Ore.) Argus.

FOR GENTLEMEN ONLY.

The members of the Mistletoe club gave a smoker Friday evening and entertained the gentlemen (not members of the club) who assisted in the minstrel performance. About 50 were present, and cards, crokinole, billiards, pool, tennis, golf, music, etc., helped to make the evening pass all too quickly.—Marshall (Mo.) Democrat-News.

PHYSIOGNOMY WINS.

Cards are out announcing the approaching marriage of M. P. Summers to Miss Estill Mathers, which happy but solemn event will take place at the residence of the young lady's parents in Micanopy, March 1. Mr. Summers is one of our sterling business men, while the bride-elect is a queenly-looking girl of superb physiognomy. Both are now receiving congratulations in advance.—High Springs (Fla.) Hornet.

Famous Assassinations of Modern Times

ASSASSINATION OF PAUL I.

PAUL I succeeded to the throne of Russia on the death of his mother, Catherine the Great, November 17, 1796. He displayed many eccentricities of character while a grand duke, and his first act after securing the crown indicated that he would continue to exhibit them as emperor. His father, Peter III, had been dethroned by his wife, the Empress Catherine, and had been murdered by her lover, Alexis Orlof. Paul caused his father's body to be exhumed. One of Peter's gloves had not rotted. Paul knelt down and

PAUL I.

reverently kissed it. He then ordered the coffin taken to the imperial palace and placed beside his mother's. A crown was laid upon Peter's coffin, and when Paul's plans for a double funeral were carried out, Orloff was compelled to appear publicly as the deceased emperor's chief mourner.

This first eccentric action of Paul as emperor was of a piece with his conduct during the rest of his short reign. Like his father, he was for some time affected with Prussomania and profoundly detested the French. His soldiers were required to dress in Prussian costumes, although they were badly adapted to the severe Russian winters. The French wore round hats; therefore the wearing of round hats was prohibited by an imperial edict, and persons caught with them on had them jerked off and were imprisoned. The hitching of horses after the Russian way was forbidden; only the Prussian method of hitching was permitted. It was anciently a point of etiquette for persons who met a Russian autocrat, his wife, or son, to get down from his horse or carriage and prostrate himself on the ground while the royalty was past. Catherine abolished this barberous custom. Paul issued an edict restoring it, and would permit no one to disregard it, no matter how deep the snow or mud. Russians who were traveling abroad were forbidden to return home. Not only round hats, but also frock coats, waistcoats, high collars, large neckties and everything which savored of Jacobinism, was put under the ban. Paul was as capricious as he was eccentric. The world was astonished to learn in 1800 that this apparently inveterate enemy of France had formed an alliance with Napoleon.

The emperor's caprices and eccentricities were impatiently borne with. In course of time they began to develop into cruelty and downright madness. He had long been faithless and brutal to his wife, the patient and beautiful Marie. His first infatuation was for Mlle. Nelidov, who was ignorant, vulgar and ugly. His second mistress was a young woman named Lapoukhin. Suspecting every one, fearing everyone, Paul shut himself with Lapoukhin in a corner of the Mikhailov palace, and became almost inaccessible except to a few favorites. Persons who in any way incurred his displeasure were speedily bundled off to Siberia or put to death. No one's place or life seemed safe.

The condition of affairs began to grow insufferable. The method usually adopted in Russia for "tempering" despotism was resorted to. A conspiracy was formed to put the emperor out of the way. Several of the highest officials and greatest nobles in the kingdom were involved in it. The chief plotters were General Count Benningsen, Plato Zubov, the Count Pahlen, commander of the troops in St. Petersburg and for the nonce the royal favorite. To insure the success of the plot, it was necessary to get the consent of the empress and of the Grand Dukes Alexander and Constantine. They received no intimation that it was intended to kill the czar. It was merely represented to them that their personal safety and the safety of every important personage, and the good of the empire demanded Paul's deposition. They at last consented to this.

The evening of March 23, 1801, the Grand Duke Alexander signed a proclamation announcing his father's incompetency to rule longer and his own assumption of the reins of government. The same evening Count Pahlen gave a dinner at his palace to about fifty army officers. After the dinner, when his guests were far gone in liquor, he made a speech in which he forcibly depicted the deplorable condition to which the czar's incompetency had reduced the empire. The speech was enthusiastically received. The drunken hearers threw napkins and even chairs above their heads, grasped their weapons and swore to kill the lunatic who had already too long disgraced the imperial throne.

On the night of March 23 Paul went early to bed. At about 11 o'clock the conspirators, headed by Pahlen and Benningsen, repaired to his apartment. The cossack who guarded his bedroom offered resistance. He was cut down, and the conspirators rushed into the room. The czar's bed was empty. "He has escaped us!" exclaimed several. "That he has not," said Benningsen. "No weakening, or I will put you all to death." Laying his hand on the bed, Benningsen found it was warm, and observed that the emperor could not be far off. A moment later he was found crouching behind a screen. The conspirators required him to abdicate. He refused. They insisted. The czar sprang toward a table and started to pick up one of the several pistols, which lay upon it. With a stroke of his sword one of the conspirators severed his hand from his arm. Wild with pain and rage, the czar rushed upon his enemies. He was thrown violently to the floor, an officer's sash was passed around his neck, and, after making a desperate resistance, he was strangled to death. His father, Peter III, had been choked to death with a napkin.

Alexander was almost prostrated with grief when he heard at what cost he had gained the crown, for he was by nature gentle and seems really to have loved his poor demented father. He was obliged, nevertheless, to share the administration of the empire for several years between Zubov and Pahlen; and at a later period Benningsen commanded the Russian army which delivered Prussia from Napoleon after the battle of Jena.

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The members of the Carnegie library board wish it generally understood that the opening of the new library building today will be a decidedly informal affair and that every citizen in the city is invited to the opening. The building will be open for inspection from 1 to 10 o'clock p. m., and it is hoped that all the residents of Colorado Springs will visit the building at some time and see what a really fine library they have secured through the generosity of Andrew Carnegie and General William J. Palmer. The building is undoubtedly one of the finest of the kind in the west and is an ornament to the city.

The formal exchange of the building from the library board to the city of Colorado Springs will take place at 2:30 o'clock. Judge Horace G. Lunt and Mayor Ira Harris will accept on the part of the city.

The building will not be open for transaction of business today, but on Monday morning Miss Lucy Baker and her assistants will issue the first books from the new building. The regular hours at the new building will be the same as at the old rooms, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., no books being given out after 8 o'clock in the evening.

Everything is in place and ready for the opening today. A car load of chairs were received yesterday, the last of the furniture.

Secretary W. P. Kinney yesterday received a check for $5,000 from Andrew Carnegie, bringing the total amount received from the philanthropist to date to $50,000. The remaining $10,000 will not be called for for some time yet.

Under Arrest for Cutting Timber

Virgil Marshall was arrested upon a capias issued out of the district court yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Harry Alward. The information charges the defendant with the illegal cutting of timber upon the property of the Colorado Pinery and Land company on July 5, 1904. The case against the defendant was nolled at the last term of court owing to a faulty information. Bond in the sum of $250 was furnished and the case set for trial on March 20.

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Failed to Support His Minor Children

Sheriff Bell, of Teller county, arrested George W. Calkins early yesterday morning at the request of Sheriff O. P. Grimes of this county upon a warrant issued by Justice McClelland. Sheriff Grimes left for Cripple Creek yesterday morning and returned with his prisoner last evening. Calkins is charged with failing to support his minor children, the complaint being filed by his divorced wife. He will have a hearing today.

Will Operate Nevada Mines

TWO COMPANIES ORGANIZED IN THIS CITY YESTERDAY TO WORK IN THE BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Two new companies were organized in this city yesterday by local capitalists for mining work in the Bullfrog Mining district of Nevada and both will be incorporated under the laws of Arizona.

The Echo Mining and Milling company was organized yesterday and capitalized at $1,500,000. The board of directors is composed of George H. Whitelaw of Delta; O. H. P. Baxter of Pueblo; Henry B. Davis, W. B. Mackey and J. A. Elston all of Colorado Springs. The company has some valuable property in the new mining district and expects to begin sacking ore within a few weeks. The Echo stock will be listed at the San Francisco Mining exchange.

The Philadelphia Venture company was organized by Colorado Springs and Philadelphia mining men and will do a general mining business and erect a plant for the treatment of low grade ore. Henry B. Davis, who is the president of the new company, leaves today for Bullfrog, where he will take charge of the company's property.

To Remain Rector of Grace Church

The Rev. Mr. Brewster Decides Not to Accept Call to Englewood, N. J. Pastor's Statement.

The Rev. Benjamin Brewster yesterday announced that he has decided not to accept the call of the St. Paul's church at Englewood, N. J., tendered him several weeks ago, and will remain in Colorado Springs as rector of the Grace Episcopal church.

During the nine years that he has been in charge of the Grace church, Mr. Brewster has come to be one of the leading ministers of the city and all who know him will be pleased to learn that he has decided to remain here. The offer from the Englewood church was a flattering one.

Mr. Brewster yesterday afternoon gave out the following statement:

"Mr. Brewster, after mature deliberation, has decided to remain with Grace church. It has been hard to decide on account of the strong inducements on personal grounds for going to Englewood, but Mr. Brewster has confidence in the future growth of the church here and also in the future of the state, and his duty, at present, at least, seems to lie here."

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Semi-Annual Statement of County Clerk

SHOWS A CONSIDERABLE REDUCTION IN EXPENDITURES DUE TO ECONOMICAL SYSTEM IN VOGUE.

The semi-annual statement of County Clerk W. H. Reed, covering the period for the last six months of the year 1904, is being prepared and will be published tomorrow. The statement is interesting to the taxpayer as it shows a considerable reduction in the cost of conducting the affairs of the county, and is the smallest expense account for any similar period for many years. Had it not been for the large expense incurred by the fall election the total expenses would have been about $60,000. The following totals show the expenditures:

Expenses on roads and bridges	$10,741.37
New court house account	1,289.15
Support of poor	6,690.76
Salaries and fees	15,433.57
Expenses of district courts	6,587.50
Expenses of county court	2,620.17
Expenses of J. P. courts	1,567.08
Expenses of county jail	3,478.67
County coroner expenses	371.70
November election	7,314.15
Tax rebates	307.25
Small pox expenses	678.96
Contingent, including donations for school girls, Midland band, horticulture society, etc.	1,312.00
Books, stationery, etc.	1,709.09
General miscellaneous expenses	8,643.23
Total	$67,458.51

In order that the reduction may be properly understood the following totals are given for similar periods in former years: The expenses paid by county warrants for the first six months of last year were $140,771.47; for the first six months in 1903, $163,409.64; for the last six months of 1903, $94,909.83; for the first six months of 1902, $105,013.84; and for the last six months of 1902, $170,935.35. While the reduction in the last six months of 1904 is partially accounted for by the completion of the new court house, the totals show a more economical system of handling the county business than in former years.

Shuttlecock and Battledoor in a Lawsuit

Judge Robert Kerr yesterday granted the motion to dismiss the suit entitled W. C. Ogden vs. A. C. Harris et al., for want of jurisdiction. The case is one of unusual interest. It was brought first in the court of Justice McClelland by Dr. Ogden who sought to collect a bill for services rendered while the defendants were stopping at the Antlers hotel last summer. The trunks of the defendants had already been placed upon a train for Denver and the constable of the court proceeded to Denver where he attached the trunks at the union depot. The plaintiff secured judgment in the justice court and the defendants appealed the case to the county court. Here it was held that the court had no jurisdiction and sent the case to the district court. Meanwhile the railroad company had become convinced that the trunks contained nothing but the wearing apparel of the defendants and turned the property over to them. When the case was called in the district court it was held that the case should have been certified to by the county court and the case was then sent back. Yesterday Judge Kerr held that the county court had no jurisdiction and dismissed the action.

Is Elected Major of Battalion

Adjutant Lynn Gale was yesterday afternoon elected major of the High school cadet battalions to succeed Major Frank Smith who has quit school and whose resignation was accepted at Wednesday's drill. Sergeant-Major Will Cort was elected adjutant, with the duties of quartermaster. Both elections were unanimous.

Major Gale is a senior and throughout his High school course he has been prominently identified with the cadet corps and other school organizations. He is a company A man and is popular with the cadets as his unanimous election testifies. Adjutant Cort also began as a private with company A, and in the battalion, athletics and literary life of the school has been a leading spirit. Both will make efficient officers.

A committee consisting of Captains Leon Fairley and Ward Randolph and Lieutenant Will Stone was appointed to confer with Principal J. R. Richards in reference to the detaining of cadets from drill by teachers.

The second prize drill of the battalion will be held next Friday afternoon, and an effort will be made to secure a Fort Logan officer as judge. Company A won the first drill two weeks ago.

Will Be Laid to Rest Today

Mrs. A. M. Wilson, wife of Alderman Wilson of Manitou, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ross of Manitou, died early yesterday morning at the Glockner sanatorium as the result of an operation performed Wednesday incident to a brief illness.

Mrs. Wilson has been a resident of Manitou for many years and has long been a leader in Manitou's social circles. Private funeral services will be held at the family residence on Canon avenue, Manitou, this afternoon at 3 o'clock and the Rev. E. W. Work of the First Presbyterian church will officiate.

CRIPPLE CREEK TRAINS CHANGE.

Beginning March 1, Colorado Midland passenger trains to and from Cripple Creek district will leave from and arrive at D. & R. G. depot, Colorado Springs. Trains leave for Cripple Creek 10:35 a. m., and 7:10 p. m. D. & R. G. depot.

Telluride Mill Will Be Sold Today

Creditors of the defunct General Metals company, which owns the Telluride mill, held a meeting in the office of Referee George M. Irwin yesterday, and entered an order for the sale of the property. Trustee Duncan Chisholm being instructed to dispose of it after 60 days' advertisement. He will conduct the sale about the first of May. The appraisement value of the property is $309,000, and the minimum value for which it can be sold under the law is 75 per cent of this amount, or $231,750.

It was also ordered that the laborers be paid what is due them. These claims amount to $7,500 and will be paid at the discretion of Trustee Duncan Chisholm. Expenses incurred at the time of the receivership made by the New York company, were ordered paid. The afternoon's session was taken up with the hearing of mechanics' liens against the property, and the hearing on these claims, which amount to between $8,000 and $10,000, will be continued at 9 o'clock this morning.

No Ticket Selected

JOINT COMMITTEE UNABLE TO ARRIVE AT DECISION AS TO MAYORALTY CANDIDATE. MEETS TONIGHT.

The joint committee representing the Non-Partisan league, Ministerial association and the Anti-Saloon league met again in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon and adjourned at 6:30 o'clock last night without nominating a ticket for the spring municipal campaign. The entire time was taken up with a discussion of desirable candidates for mayor but nothing definite was decided upon. The committee will meet again this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock and a full city ticket will probably be decided upon.

Local Prohibitionists met at Phelps' bakery, 119 East Bijou street, last night to discuss what action the party should take in placing a ticket in the field in the municipal election this spring. Whether any action was taken or not, the members refused to state, saying that nothing could be given out, pending the action of the Non-Partisan league and other good government forces.

Declamation Contestants Are Chosen

At the High school yesterday afternoon, the preliminary contest was held to decide the eight boys who will compete in the annual contest to be held in about a month. There were thirteen contestants, and the list of successful candidates, picked by the judges, Principal J. R. Richards and Prof. H. M. Plum, is given herewith in alphabetical order, together with the names of their selections: Will Cort, "Eulogy of General Grant," by Porter; Cyrus Estill, "The New South," by Grady; J. Sherwood Jacoby, "Eloquence of John Adams," by Webster; Roy Kirkpatrick, "Regulus to the Carthaginians," by Kellogg; Marion Kirkwood, "American Liberty," by Senator Hoar; Leland Pollock, "The Black Horse and His Rider," by Lippard; Oscar Reinhardt, "The Victor of Marengo"; and Will Stone, "The Scattered Nation," by Vance.

The other boys in the contest were Ralph Smith, Ray Bailey, John Merit, Allyn Perkins and Milan Butts. The young orators have been under the training of Prof. F. I. Walker, head of the English department, for the last several weeks, and the eight successful contestants will be drilled by him until the date of the final contest.

Death Rate in New York and Chicago.

During November and December, 1903 one fifth of the deaths in New York and Chicago were from pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia, so do not take chances on a cold wearing away when Foley's Honey and Tar will cure you quickly and prevent serious results. Sold by the Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

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POSTPONED—The Ladies' Aid society of the Manitou Congregational church has postponed the entertainment scheduled for last evening at the Manitou High school, on account of the death of Mrs. A. M. Wilson.

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The styles are varied enough that whether milady is tall or short, slender or stout, or of medium build, there is some style which will exactly suit.

The Silk Suits

In both the Shirt Waist and Jacket Styles we are showing some exceptionally nobby styles in such fashionable silks as the new Chameleon shades, changeable effects and new stripes, figures and checks.

There's an extra value in a striped Taffeta with tucked skirt. The waist is tucked and trimmed with buttons and piping of contrasting color, and only $10.

The New Skirts

The new Dress and Walking Skirts already received comprise the latest styles, including the swell new Umbrella Skirt.

All such desirable materials as mohairs, voiles, covert cloths, novelty serges and panama cloths are represented.

The Wool Suits

The tailor made Spring suits are in such a variety of materials and colorings that it is simply impossible to describe them in this small space.

The new Mohairs in plain and novelty effects are worthy of special mention. Some unusually pretty styles at $18. Other suits in mohair and novelty and plain woollens, at $15 to $25.

The New Coats

The new Covert Jackets for women in the latest and most desirable styles, at $7.50 to $18.

The Rain Coats in all the desirable fabrics at $11 to $25.

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Specials in Poultry for Saturday

Young Turkeys, per lb.	22c
Young Ducks, per lb.	18c
Fancy Fresh Broilers, per lb.	20c
Fancy Young Hens, per lb.	16c

(Buy early, good poultry is scarce this week.)

Specials in Fresh Vegetables

2 lbs Cauliflower	25c
Southern Spinach, per lb.	15c
2 lbs New Rhubarb	25c
New Green Onions, per dozen	20c
6 bunches Hothouse Lettuce, leaf	25c
6 lbs Sweet Potatoes	25c
California Hubbard Squash, per lb.	5c
Water Cress, per bunch	5c
Rutabagas, 10 lbs.	25c
Vegetable Oysters, large bunch	15c
Spanish Onions, per lb.	10c
2 quarts Fancy Cranberries	25c
Fancy Asparagus, per lb.	30c
Florida Tomatoes, per lb.	20c

Specials in Fresh Fruits

Large Seedless Grape Fruit	25c
dozen large Lemons	25c
Fresh Cocoanuts, each	10c
Fancy Bananas, per dozen	25c
box Fancy Winesap Apples	$1.75
box Fancy Ben Davis Apples	$1.35
box Fancy Genilton Apples	$2.00
box California Navel Oranges	$2.25
half box California Navel Oranges	$1.15

Good oranges have advanced in price. BUY TODAY while old prices prevail.

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OYSTERS, N. Y. counts, per qt	60c
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[illegible] ROCK FROM [illegible] BLACK BELLS

Returns From 12 Tons Give Values of $970 to the Ton—Initial Shipment by Gold Temple Leasing Company.

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—Returns of $970 to the ton were the values received from 12 tons from the Black Bells by the Cripple Creek Gold Temple Mining and Leasing company. This was the initial shipment.

The operators are the same ones who made such a success during the past year when they were operating on the Gold Sovereign territory, and it seems now that they will have just as good a thing if not better on their lease on this Beacon hill territory.

This new ore shoot, while it is only measuring from 10 to 14 inches in width is of remarkably high grade. The ore shoot was encountered about 125 feet south of the shaft at a depth of 300 feet from surface.

The operators are now pushing work from the 400-foot point in order to get under their new find where they expect it will be much wider and richer with additional depth.

On this property a few years ago operators encountered a blowout near surface which produced very close to $100,000 in a short time. Many operators have since worked the property for the purpose of finding the extension of that rich pocket yet up to the present time none has ever accomplished this fact, unless it is the present operators in their strike made a few days ago.

FOREST QUEEN IS SHIPPING TWO CARLOADS OF ORE A DAY

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—Two carloads of ore per day are leaving the Forest Queen mine on Ironclad hill. This is the property which was recently in litigation in the district court when testimony was produced by the present operator to the effect that there was no shipping ore in the mine at that time. When an examination was made by experts ore bodies of liberal dimensions were found and the result is that the above shipments are leaving the property.

The ore, it is understood, will run around two ounces to the ton so both lessees and the company may clean up a nice little pile of money.

Justice Robert Steele of the Colorado supreme court is one of the largest owners of this property. The territory is under lease to J. K. Walsh and others, who have plenty of money to operate the ground so there is hardly a doubt but a big shipping proposition will be the result.

A steady string of ore wagons is kept busy hauling the ore to the nearest side track, and the mine now bids fair to make everyone connected with it independently wealthy.

ROYALTIES OF LAST DOLLAR

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—Once more it has been demonstrated to the public that more money can be made by operations by lessees than on company account. This is provided by the figures on the royalties of the Last Dollar company for their first month's operation under this system.

From reliable sources it has been learned that the Last Dollar company received over $15,000 for the first month.

Lessees are working different parts of the mine from the lower levels of the mine to surface and several promising ore shoots have been uncovered as a result of their operations.

At the present time 19 different lessees are operating and with one exception all are shipping.

OSBORN WILL WORK TRIUMPH

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—The Triumph property located on Battle mountain has been leased to Osborn and associates, who have already commenced operations and expect to push them forward with all possible speed.

A few years ago some very rich ore was shipped from this fraction of Battle mountain territory. But on account of litigation the ground has been lying idle for the past two years so nothing has been done.

The new lessees have promised to pay 25 per cent of $25 ore and under and 45 per cent on all ore running over $25. These royalties are very good from the company's standpoint.

CRIPPLE CREEK MINING STOCKS

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—On the Cripple Creek stock exchange today Teutonic was again the leader, and 17,000 shares changed hands. While opening at 5⅝ it closed at 5½. The total sales amounted to 67,000 shares and were as follows: Acacia, 1,000 at 10⅞; American Consolidated, 2,000 at 3⅞; Banner, 3,000 at 3¼; Black Wonder, 3,000 at 2⅜; Des Moines, 4,000 at 2⅜; Flower, 3,000 at 1⅝; Gold Coin, 2,000 at 35; Gold Knob, 4,000 at 2½; Gould, 2,000 at 3¾; Hayden, 4,000 at 007; Kimberly, 2,000 at 1⅞; Little Bess, 1,000 at 2⅜; Little Puck, 2,000 at 4; Mountain Beauty, 4,000 at 3⅜; Merrimac, 5,000 at 2¼; Red Spruce, 1,000 at 1; Republic, 1,000 at 2½; Rock Mountain, 2,000 at 3; Teutonic, 13,000 at 5⅝, 4,000 at 5½; Work, 2,000 at 15¼; Zoe, 1,000 at 1⅜.

TABER LEASE ON MAUD HELENA IS SHIPPING.

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—Taber and associates operating under lease the Maud Helena claim of the Pilgrim Consolidated company are sending out a regular production of smelting grade ore.

The lessees are now driving an upraise from the tunnel level and as soon as connection is made with the shaft on the property their tonnage will be increased considerably.

SUBSTANTIAL DISCOVERIES BY BLUE JAY'S OPERATORS

Special to the Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—Ore has been developed in three sections of the Blue Jay and is leaving two. The Blue Jay is a neighbor of the Blue Bird and the Last Dollar on Bull hill, and gives quite as much metallic promise as its neighbors.

On the north end and at a depth of 100 feet Gus Trolicht, lessee, has opened a shoot thirty inches in width. It is of average quality. The lessee expects to ship within two or three weeks.

At a depth of 300 feet Hicks and associates have exposed five feet of ore that yields $50 worth of gold to the ton under selection. In a general way the value is $20 to the ton. The shoot has been opened horizontally for twenty feet. To prove its area and to provide stoping ground a drift is being run in a northerly direction.

Largest of the shoots exposed in the Blue Jay is that of Kelso and associates, lessees. It is eleven feet in width and has an average content of an ounce of gold to the ton. Because of the apparent evenness with which the metal is distributed throughout the body no improvement in values is effected by selection. The ore lies at a depth of 550 feet and is removed through the Trail tunnel which has a length of 1,680 feet from portal to shoot.

SOME RIO GRANDE FLYERS.

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Then my general health improved, the pains gradually lessened and after 18 weeks I was well. I am now the happy mother of a boy eighteen months old and my husband joins me in sending heartfelt thanks to you for your splendid medicine.

Without, I would have been a childless, instead of a happy and well mother.

Mrs. Frederick Nirdlinger

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All druggists sell $1.00 bottles Wine of Cardui.

EASTERN MARKETS

Stocks and Bonds. Grain and Provisions.

SILVER .... 59¼c LEAD .... $4.45@4.60

[illegible] STRONG [illegible] VALUES

Standard Railroad and Other Stocks Give Tone to the Trading Throughout.

NEW YORK, March 10.—The breadth as well as the strength of today's stock market was very notable. While many low grade and obscure stocks were numbered among the gainers, the standard dividend railroad paying stocks showed revived activity and strength and gave tone to the whole market. The trunk lines and Pacifics particularly came into prominence and great activity. The absorption of Pennsylvania was on a very large scale. So widespread was the advancing tendency that the heavy spots are more easily noted as the exception to the rule. Some of these were affected by realizing, following advances yesterday, which was especially the case with Reading. Others were held by a torpor which they have been unable to throw off in spite of the active advances elsewhere.

The day's movement was plainly due for the most part, however, to general considerations. The extraordinary ease of money is given most importance in the general field, but is effectively supplemented by the reports of the prosperous conditions in trade and industry. Yesterday's reduction in the official rate of discount by the bank of England continued to exercise an influence in keeping up confidence in the future ease of the money market. The forecasts of the currency movement for the past week indicate another shift in the interior movement in favor of this center, promising a moderate addition to the cash item on tomorrow's bank statement in spite of the absorption on sub-treasury operations.

The figures of the production of gold on the Rand for February called renewed attention to the steady expansion in the rate of gold production to which the other great gold fields are also contributing their share.

The buying of Chesapeake and Ohio became much excited in the late dealings on the rise to a record level at 58. This served to check the rather irregular tendency which had developed on account of selling to realize and made the closing firm.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $4,470,000.

United States bonds were all unchanged on call.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Sugar	144	144¾	143½	144⅝
Am. Smelter	99⅜	99¾	98⅛	98⅞
do pfd	123	123¼	122	123
Atchison	92⅞	93	92½	92⅝
do pfd	104¼	104¼	103⅝	103⅞
Amal. Copper	81⅛	81⅝	80⅝	81¼
B. R. T.	66½	67⅛	66⅝	66⅞
B. & Ohio	110¾	111	110½	111
C. M. & St. Paul	179⅜	181⅛	179	180⅞
C. R. I. & P.	36¼	36½	35¾	35⅞
do pfd	81½	81⅛	80⅝	80⅛
Ches. & Ohio	51¼	58	50⅞	57¼
C. F. & I.	51¾	53	51¾	52¾
D. & R. G. pfd.	88¾	88¾	88¼	88¼
Erie	47⅞	48¼	47⅝	48¼
do 1st pfd.	82⅜	83¼	82¼	83¼
Gen. Electric	187⅜	187⅝	187⅝	187⅝
Ill. Central	159½	160¼	159⅛	160
L. & N.	142¼	142¾	142	142¼
Met. St. Ry	123	124	122⅝	123⅛
Manhattan	172	172	171⅝	171⅝
Mo. Pacific	109	109⅝	109	109½
N. Y. Central	159	160⅜	158⅞	159¾
N. Y. Cons. Gas.	212⅞	213½	212½	212½
Peoples Gas	110¾	111¾	110¾	111⅜
Pennsylvania	143¾	145⅞	143½	145⅞
Reading	99	99¼	98⅛	98½
Rep. I. & S.	19⅞	20½	19⅞	20⅛
do pfd	76½	77½	76⅛	77½
So. Pacific	70⅜	70⅞	70⅛	70¾
Texas Pacific	39⅜	39⅝	39	39¼
Tenn. C. & I.	90¼	93⅛	90	92¼
Union Pacific	134⅜	135⅝	133⅞	134⅞
do pfd	99¼	100	99¾	100
U. P. Conv. B.	136	136⅝	135½	136⅝
U. S. Steel	36¾	36¾	36½	36¾
do pfd	96⅛	96¼	95⅞	96¼
Wabash	22¾	23	22¾	23
do pfd	47⅛	47⅛	46½	46⅝

Money closed, 2¼@2½ per cent.

Total sales, 1,540,500.

MANY LODES ON MINERAL TO BE LEASED AT LOW ROYALTY

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 10.—To further stimulate prospection of Mineral and Tenderfoot hills, T. J. Moynahan, of this city, who owns 200 or more acres thereon, has offered to throw his entire estate open to lessees under an attractive royalty, and that those without means need not be debarred from effort he has volunteered to provide the necessary machinery to engage in the work without cost to the operator. In addition he offers a bond on each property whereon prospection is industriously engaged in. The royalty asked is ten per cent on ore of any grade marketed during two years of leasehold.

Not a little of the ground of Mr. Moynahan's ownership embraces the Cripple Creek placer fields from which several hundred men made wages and more in the mining ten or eleven years ago, and from which a total of $250,000 is reported to have been removed. Several discoveries of rich ore have been made on this and other ground of the locality during subsequent years by those engaged in quartz mining. The riches were in pockets of very limited dimensions, however, but these conditions only served to strengthen opinion that a great body of good quality was somewhere encompassed within the veins of the neighborhood.

Several lessees and others have been at work on Mineral and Tenderfoot hill for months. Another joined the company during the week, and there is promise of other recruits with the return of warm weather.

A cyanide plant could operate here successfully, according to the deductions of Mr. Moynahan. He describes one possibility, which lies on the Bland lode, as having a length of 600 feet, a great but undetermined width and a thickness of thirty feet, it lying like coal. This body was a subject of experiment at the hands of Peter McCourt, the Denver theater manager, about nine years ago. To determine the quality of the ore McCourt shipped a carload to the Brodie mill. The yield was $7 in gold to the ton. The lot was assembled from assorted material. It is believed by Mr. Moynahan that $4 is the average quality and because of the oxidation he expresses further belief that the entire dyke would readily yield to treatment by cyanide of potassium.

[illegible] EXTREME DULLNESS

Prevails in Wheat Early. An Advance Is Followed by Slump.

CHICAGO, March 10.—Extreme dullness prevailed in the wheat pit during the first half of the session. Local operators seemed disposed to await publication of estimates made by government officials on the amount of wheat in farmers' hands. At the start the feeling was rather nervous. As trading progressed, a steadier tone developed, shorts becoming fair buyers. Selling was scattered. May advanced to $1.14½ and July to 94¼@⅜. Toward the middle of the day sentiment suddenly became bearish on crop news. May, sold off to $1.13 and July to 92. On the break shorts covered moderately, causing a partial rally. The close, however, was weak with May at $1.13½@⅝ and July at 92½@⅝.

Light acceptances from the country gave a firm tone to the corn market early in the day but the market became easier with the slump in wheat. May opened a shade to ⅛@¼ higher, at 48¼ to ⅜, sold off to 47⅞ and closed at 48.

Weakness of wheat and corn caused a slightly lower trend in oats values. May closed at 31⅞.

Provisions were weak on selling of pork and ribs by pit traders. At the close May pork was off 10@12½, lard and ribs were each down 7½.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	114¼	114½	113	113½
July	93⅞	94¼	92	92½
Sept.	87½	87½	86	86¼
Corn—				
May	48¼	48⅜	47⅞	48
July	48⅜	48⅜	48	48⅛
Sept.	49	49	48¼	48½

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"Did Sambo leave his wife in pretty comfortable circumstance?" asked the man of his colored servant.

"Oh, yes, sah. She feel putty secure," replied the servant.

"What did Sambo leave her?"

"Four razors, sah!"—Yonkers Statesman.

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Coughs and Colds PREVENTS Pneumonia and Consumption

Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough, but heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold.

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E. H. Jones, Pastor M. E. Church, Grove, Md., writes: "About seven or eight years ago I had a very severe cold which physicians said was very near pneumonia, and which they afterwards pronounced consumption. Through a friend I was induced to try a sample of Foley's Honey and Tar, which gave me so much relief that I bought some of the regular size. Two or three bottles cured me of what the physicians called consumption, and I have never had any trouble with my throat or lungs since that time."

Three sizes—25c, 50c, $1.00.

The 50 cent size contains two and one-half times as much as the small size and the $1.00 bottle almost six times as much.

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Bargains in Every Department.

Robbins

THE COLORADO SPRINGS MINING STOCK EXCHANGE.

There was an increased volume of business and better trading in all the departments at the call on the mining stock exchange yesterday, although most of the stocks sold at lower prices than yesterday.

One of the exceptions was Findley Consolidated, which opened at 81 and advanced to 82 with sales of 6,000 shares. Another exception was Teutonic, the newly listed stock, which opened at 5¼ and gained to 5⅝, which was the closing bid. Three thousand five hundred shares of El Paso sold at $1.98. Isabella weakened to 30, the 7,000 shares traded in changing hands at that figure. Portland to the extent of 4,000 shares sold at $1.93½ to $1.93. About 200,000 shares represented the day's business.

MINES.

	Bid.	Ask.
Acacia	10¾	10⅞
Anaconda	14	15½
Black Belle	07¼	08
C. C. Cons.	12½	12¾
C. K. & N.	17	19
Dante	05⅛	05⅝
Doctor-J. P.	03⅜	03¾
Elkton	61	62½
El Paso	1.98	1.98¼
Findley	81	82
Fanny Rawlings	....	02
Gold Dollar	11	11⅛
Gold Sovereign	12⅝	12¾
Isabella	30	30½
Jack Pot	....	07
Last Dollar	12	25
Lexington	06⅝	07
Mollie Gibson	....	06
Moon Anchor	06¼	06¾
Old Gold	07½	08½
Pharmacist	05	05⅛
Pinnacle	03½	03⅞
Portland	1.92½	1.93
Prince Albert	03⅛	03⅜
Vindicator	80	87
Work	15⅛	15⅜

UNLISTED.

	Bid.	Ask.
Gold Coin	....	40
Golden Cycle	50	....
Jennie Sample	....	05
Jerry Johnson	16	19
United Gold Mines	25	29

PROSPECTS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Agnes	02¾	03
Alamo	02½	04
American	02¾	04
Anchor	01½	02
Aola	01½	02
Banner Gold	03¼	03⅜
Ben Hur	01¾	02¼
Black Wonder	02	02½
Blue Bell	06	07
Bob Lee	01½	02
Buckhorn	01¾	....
C. C. & M.	01½	02
Champion	....	02
Constantine	01¼	01⅝
C. & C. C.	03	06
Dead Shot	01½	02¼
Des Moines	02¼	....
Dillon	10	....
Flower of the West	01½	02
Gold Bond	05⅝	06
Gold Knob	02¾	02½
Gould New	03½	03¾
Greater Gold Belt	009	01
Hart	02	03
Jolly Jane	01⅞	03½
Keystone	05⅝	05¾
Kimberly	01¼	02
Kitty Gold	008	01¼
Little Bessie	02½	02⅞
Little Nell	02½	04
Little Puck	03⅞	04

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PROSPECTS Continued.

	Bid.	Ask.
Magnet Rock	02¾	03
Maria A.	0085	01½
Mariposa	02½	02⅝
Marquette	01¾	02
Mary Nevin	05⅛	05½
McKinney	04	04½
Merrimac	02⅛	02½
Midway	03	04
Missouri	03	03½
Nellie V.	....	02
New Haven	03¾	04½
O. K.	02⅛	02¼
Oriole	006	01⅜
Pilgrim Cons.	04¼	05
Pointer	01¼	02
Princess	02⅜	02⅝
Progress	01	02
Pythias	01	02
Rattler	02⅜	03
Red Spruce	01	01¼
Republic	02⅜	02½
Robert Burns	01⅝	02
Rose Maud	05⅝	06
Rose Nicol	01½	04⅝
St. Thomas	02½	02¾
Sunset-Eclipse	....	02⅝
Uncle Sam	0095	01½
Teutonic	05⅜	05¾

MISCELLANEOUS.

	Bid.	Ask.
Blanche	01⅛	02
Cable	008	....
Cadillac	002	....
Easter Bell	006	007
Fauntleroy	....	02½
Favorite	0055	008
Ferepaugh	....	0075
Free Gold	006	01¼
Golden Age	....	01¼
Golden Eagle	01	01½
Golden Terry	....	02
Goldfield	003	....
Gold Hill	007	008
Goldstone	005	....
Grace	005	....
Hayden	006	01½
Ironclad	005	0075
Kaffirs	006	....
Key West	0025	0075
Lucrative	0055	006
Madeline	01	03
Magic	0015	003
Margaret	003	007
Marion	001	003
M. J. T.	003	....
Montreal	....	02
Olive Branch	01⅝	02
Prin Seti	002	005
Sliver	002	004
Spar	....	0065
Texas Girl	01	01¼
Volcano	006	008
Wide Awake	009	01¼
Zoe	01⅛	01½

SEPARATE SALES.

MINES.—Acacia, 5000 at 10¾; Anaconda, 1500 at 14¾; C. C. Cons., 2000 at 12½; C. K. & N., 1000 at 18½; Dante, 1000 at 5¼; Doctor-J. P., 4000 at 3½; Elkton, 500 at 61, 3000 at 62, 500 at 63; El Paso, 3500 at $1.98; Findley, 2000 at 81, 2000 at 81½, 500 at 81¾, 1500 at 82; Gold Dollar Cons., 6000 at 11; Gold Sovereign, 5000 at 12⅝; Isabella, 7000 at 30; Lexington, 6000 at 6⅞; Moon Anchor, 1000 at 6¼; Old Gold, 1000 at 7½; Portland, 3200 at $1.93, 700 at $1.93½; Work, 2000 at 15¼, 1000 at 15⅜.

UNLISTED.—Jerry Johnson, 1000 at 17; United Gold Mines, 374 at 25.

PROSPECTS.—American Cons., 1000 at 3⅞; Banner Gold, 1000 at 3⅛, 1000 at 3¼; Bob Lee, 2000 at 1¾; Gold Knob, 5000 at 2½; Keystone, 2000 at 5⅝; Little Puck, 1000 at 4; Magnet Rock, 2000 at 2⅞; Maria A., 2000 at 1; Mariposa, 3000 at 2½; Marquette, 6000 at 2; McKinney, 30,000 at 4; Midway, 5000 at 3⅜; Nellie V., 1000 at 1¼; O. K., 3000 at 2⅛, 1000 at 2¼; Princess, 3000 at 2½; Pythias, 10,000 at 1¼; Rattler, 1000 at 2⅜; Robert Burns, 5000 at 1⅝, 5000 at 1¾; Rose Nicol, 2000 at 4⅝; St. Thomas, 4000 at 2½; Teutonic, 1000 at 5¼, 2000 at 5⅜, 1000 at 5½, 1000 at 5⅝.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Cable, 15,000 at 008; Grace, 1000 at 0055; Olive Branch, 1000 at 1⅝; Texas Girl, 5000 at 1⅛.

For Over Fifty Years

An Old and Well Tried Remedy.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over 50 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for

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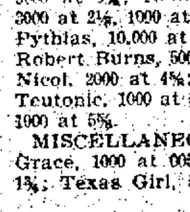

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Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c, and $1.00 at Druggists

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Women are more often afflicted with kidney disorders than men, but attribute the symptoms to diseases peculiar to their sex, while in reality the kidneys are deranged. Nervousness, headache, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, pain in the back, are signs of kidney trouble that must not be ignored, or a serious malady will result. Foley's Kidney Cure has restored the health of thousands of weak, nervous, broken down women. It stops irregularities and strengthens the urinary organs. It purifies the blood and benefits the whole system. Sold by the Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

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San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego	$25.00
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Daily through tourist car to California.

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Ticket office, 16 N. Tejon street. Telephone 96.

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Woman's Nature

Is to love children, and no home can be completely happy without them, yet the ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass usually is so full of suffering, danger and fear that she looks forward to the critical hour with apprehension and dread.

Mother's Friend, by its penetrating and soothing properties, allays nausea, nervousness, and all unpleasant feelings, and so prepares the system for the ordeal that she passes through the event safely and with but little suffering, as numbers have testified and said, "it is worth its weight in gold." $1.00 per bottle of druggists. Book containing valuable information mailed free.

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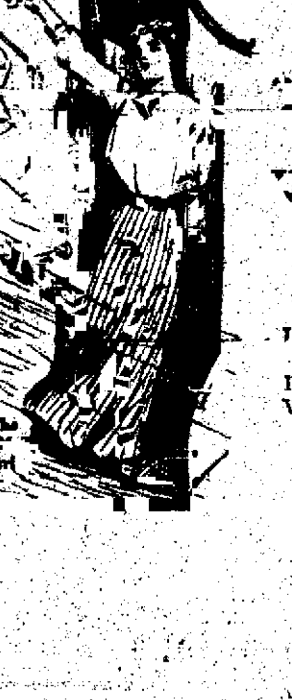

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MANITOU NEWS

YOUNG PEOPLE WERE PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED.

Adolph Paulson and Harvey Lester entertained a number of friends Tuesday evening at the Phiefer residence Dainty ices and cakes were served during the evening by Mrs Phiefer and Miss Clara Patterson Games and music passed the hours pleasantly Those present were Misses Gladys Thompson Inez Lowther, Ida Leonard, Lena Clute, Helen Scott, Elizabeth Dickens Margaret Dickens, Hazel Hammer, Maude King, Julia Mullenhower, Florence Evans and Messrs Earl Thompson, James Murphy Geddes Porter, William Mullenhower and Paul Douglas

MANITOU NEWS NOTES.

A Reichmuth has gone to Las Vegas.

Dan Rupp and E R Nichols, Jr, are in Denver on business

Herman Reese is able to be out again after a few days' illness

Mr. and Mrs Little are the proud parents of a 10-pound daughter, born yesterday morning

The High school basketball team will play the Deaf and Blind Institute team Saturday afternoon on the Manitou grounds.

The town board has made an appropriation for 16 band concerts to be held in the Soda Spring park during July and August.

J. B. Glasser returned from Excelsior Springs, Arkansas, after a two weeks' visit, and has been visiting his family here for the last week, leaving yesterday for Ouray.

Mr. and Mrs. J B Glasser entertained C. W. Sells, wife and daughter, Margaret, Tuesday evening at a very attractive 6 o'clock dinner at their home on Grand avenue.

Mr. and Mrs Sextus Reed entertained at dinner Wednesday evening, their guests being Mr and Mrs J B Glasser, Miss Margaret Glasser and Claude and Beach Glasser

Mr. and Mrs A G Redenbaugh entertained Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at an attractively arranged dinner at their home on Ruxton avenue Covers were laid for nine The evening was spent with progressive high five

The Rev. B. W. Bonell has established an Episcopal church at Divide, and will hold services there each alternate Friday. A large confirmation class has been formed and much enthusiasm is expressed by the people of that mountain town.

Gives Health, Vigor and Tone.

Herbine is a boon for sufferers from anaemia. By its use the blood is quickly regenerated and the color becomes normal. The drooping strength is revived The languor is diminished. Health, vigor and tone predominate. New life and happy activity results. Mrs. Betty H. Shriel, Middlesborough, Ill., writes, "I have been troubled with liver complaint and poor blood and have found nothing to benefit me like Herbine. I hope never to be without it. I have wished that I had known of it in my husband's life time" 50c. Sold by Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

AMUSEMENTS.

ANNA EVA FAY HERE NEXT WEEK

The appearance of Anna Eva Fay, at the Opera house five nights next week commencing Tuesday opens an engagement that will be found absolutely unique, and of character to interest all classes, but particularly persons who are interested in the mysterious functions of the human intellect Miss Fay is the embodyment of what the theosophists aim to be, but she does not claim to be a theosophist, and laughs if any one refers to her "Astral" body This wonderful woman seems to be able to place herself in a trance-like state at will, and in that condition to read the thoughts of others, and also to see what events the future holds. She calls the act "Somnolency," and it has absolutely baffled all efforts to explain it She also does a few feats that, if not magic, or the black art, are fully as mystifying She is at the head of a strong company of entertainers There will be matinees on Thursday and Saturday for women only. The evening prices will be first floor 50 cents Balcony 35 cents. Gallery 25 cents. The matinee prices will be 25 cents to any part of the house for women only.

JOE MURPHY IN "KERRY GOW."

The popular Irish actor Joseph Murphy will appear at the Opera house in the beautiful play "Kerry Gow," on Saturday evening

The play is typically Irish. It tells of Dan O'Hara's love for pretty Nora Drew. He is a farrier, warm-hearted and honest While he does not claim to be brilliant, he is gifted with that wit and acumen which help Irishmen to high places in the world. The Drews are being pressed for a mortgage, which was gotten by Valentine Hay, a scoundrel, who has the presumption to declare his love for the innocent Nora When he is refused Hay leaves no stone unturned to crush the Drews and O'Hara He uses henchmen to hide pikes in the forge of the farrier, and gives out the story that O'Hara was making those pikes for the rebels That meant death in those days O'Hara is arrested, but his innocence is proven after his escape Beaten in this plot, Hay intends foreclosing, but the younger Drew has a thoroughbred which will sell for enough money to clear the debt, providing the horse wins. Hay secures the greatest race horse of the day, and the contest is between the two animals Drew's horse wins, the mortgage is paid and Nora and the farrier close the story with a kiss, after Hay and his henchman are dragged to jail for conspiracy

The story itself is worth any one's attention but Mr Murphy has enriched the play with the sweetest touches of nature and dressed all with the truest bits of Irish scenery.

EMPIRE THEATER.

A very large crowd was in attendance last night at the Empire theater, and some change in the program was well received

The Trans-Atlantic trio are presenting a new act which is much different from the first of the week but which is equally as good and won many encores and much applause

Sylvan and O'Neil are proving to be one of the best appreciated acts which has been here for some time Their comedy is good and his acrobatic work is a marvel

M Samuels is still well received in his character impersonations and much entertainment is rendered by Miss Carrie B Whalen The moving pictures are good and the illustrated song is one of Mr Carrel's best.

MASS OF SORES

Wee Sufferings of Little Boy from an Itching Humour.

DOCTORS DID NO GOOD

Not One Square Inch of Skin on His Whole Body Was Unaffected.

"My little son, a boy of five, broke out with an itching rash. Three doctors prescribed for him, but he kept getting worse until we could not dress him any more. They finally advised me to try a certain medical college, but its treatment did not do any good At the time I was induced to try Cuticura Remedies he was so bad that I had to cut his hair off and put the Cuticura Ointment on him on bandages, as it was impossible to touch him with the bare hand There was not one square inch of skin on his whole body that was not affected He was one mass of sores. The bandages used to stick to his skin and in removing them it used to take the skin off with them, and the screams from the poor child were heart-breaking. I began to think that he would never get well, but after the second application of Cuticura Ointment I began to see signs of improvement, and with the third and fourth applications the sores commenced to dry up. His skin peeled off twenty times, but it finally yielded to the treatment. I used the Cuticura Resolvent for his blood, and now I can say that he is entirely cured, and a stronger and healthier boy you never saw than he is to-day."
ROBERT WATTAM,
4922 Center Ave., Chicago, Ill., Dec. 30, 1897.

No return in six years, Mr. Wattam writes, Feb. 23, 1903.

"Your letter of the 21st in regard to the case of my little boy at hand, I am truly thankful to say that the cure effected by the Cuticura Remedies has been a most thorough and successful cure to date"

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AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT by keeping in mind the fact that Short Line trains for Cripple Creek leave the Santa Fe-Colorado & Southern station, Colorado Springs, at 10 35 a. m. and 6 30 p. m. daily.

POPULAR WANTS

WANTED HELP.

WANTED
Are you looking for a home, if so see us We have any kind of a property that you want We have ranches to sell or exchange We have Oregon land and city lots in the best sea port town in Oregon We have a 3-room cottage in the 300 block Colorado Springs at a snap this week, will take team as part payment, balance easy. We also have a 7-room house, full lot, only $700, $400 cash, balance on your own time See us for all kinds of snaps We make loans of all kinds Give us your collections We put your old accounts in judgment and look after them. List your property with us for quick returns. RADCLIFF & THOMPSON, Room 8, Midland Block. Phone 662-B.

WANTED—Woman pastry cook and chambermaid for out of town, fare paid, also 2 elevator and three bell boys for city Mrs Farrar, DeGraff Bldg Phone 805-B.

WE wish to learn if any person of Colorado Springs lost freight shipped over the Santa Fe in the flood at Kansas City in June, 1903. Address H Gazette

WANTED—Installment collector for merchandise accounts Good salary and expenses Address, Manufacturer, P. O. Box 1027, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—First class gardner to take care of private place; call at 420 North Cascade avenue between 1 and 2 o'clock. References required

WANTED—500 people to buy all kinds of unredeemed watches, diamond rings, musical instruments and overcoats, Myers Loan Office. 29 E. Huerfano.

HERBAL COMPOUND a sure cure for catarrh and catarrhal affections At all druggists. Take it now.

WANTED—Everybody to know that the Night School at Henager's Business college is the best in the city.

WANTED—YOU TO KNOW that Henager's Business college guarantees positions to its graduates.

SEE Mrs. Rhind for positions, the Employment Agent, 23 Bank Building. Phone Black 643.

WANTED—An experienced bookkeeper and office man The Hastings-Allen Realty and Building Co

WANTED—Every young man to learn how good CHICLETS are on the Tennis Court.

NATIONAL Employment Agency, first-class help and positions; 27 S Tejon. Tel. 677-B.

WANTED—Bright boy with wheel Apply Clark Greenhouses, Platte and Wahsatch

COOKS, second girls, man attend horse and garden, Mrs Rhind, 23 Bank Bldg

EXPERIENCED seamstress. Mrs. Ella Pest, 408 North Wahsatch

WANTED—Girl for general house work; call 1232 N Nevada.

GOOD DOMESTIC AND HOTEL HELP. MRS FARRAR, De GRAFF BLDG.

WANTED—Bright young man for solicitor at The Lennox

WANTED Every trained nurse to try CHICLETS

MRS E MILLER; home cooking; best 25c meals in city; 17 E Kiowa.

POPULAR WANTS

WANTED SITUATIONS.

EXCELLENT Japanese cook wants position in permanent home this city Tamura, 2028 Blake St, Denver

WANTED—Situation, general housework Young lady. Phone White 271

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

I WOULD LIKE TO BUY—
Notes secured by trust deed.
Stock of the Denver Water company.
Stock of the Colorado Telephone Co.
THOS. C. PEASE, 109 East Kiowa St.

HERBAL COMPOUND a sure cure for catarrh and catarrhal affections At all druggists. Take it now.

WE buy cast-off clothing and shoes. Phone Red 913. No. 3 W Huerfano.

TO BUY house to move away, state price. Address E 143, Gazette.

DIAMOND ¾ to 1½ karats, 13 N. Tejon St. Also old gold and silver.

TO RENT—UNFUR. HOUSES.

WE have the largest list of furnished and unfurnished houses, for rent at all prices. We have photos in our office of all these houses, and will take pleasure in showing them to anyone.
YATES & M'CLAIN,
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10 rooms, new, mod., Ivywild, $30 00 mo
5 rooms modern, $12 00 month.
4 rooms, modern, Ivywild, $12 00 month.
4 rooms, water inside $10 00 month.
Call C E Maddocks, 21½ Pike's Peak Av

FOR RENT—Seven rooms, modern, and barn only 4 blocks from Rio Grande depot Just the place for railroad man. Low rent to right party

MODERN five room cottage, East Jefferson street Long lease to right party. L. L. Johnson, 1216 Nevada Ave

LIST YOUR PROPERTY FOR RENT WITH J A BARTON, 21 E PIKE'S PEAK AVE

THOROUGHLY modern house of 8 rooms at 1726 N. Tejon Inquire 406 N Weber st

MODERN, six-room cottage 411 E Columbia. Inquire mornings 310 E Dale

HOUSES for rent, $8 00 to $50 00 per mo H A Scurr, 20 South Tejon

FOUR large rooms, eight dollars, 120 West Del Norte Inquire 1819 N Tejon.

FIVE-ROOM cottage, $8 per month, 507 East Dale

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TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES

FOUR rooms, close in and low rent 317 West Kiowa St

NICELY furnished modern house; 323 East Pike's Peak.

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TO RENT FURNISHED ROOMS.

SIX rooms in modern cottage, very close in, north; furnished for housekeeping Address, E-124 Gazette.

LOVELY room, full housekeeping privileges, bath, gas, electricity; 1004 North Wahsatch

NICELY furnished rooms in modern house Call after 4 p m ; 315 Monument.

NICELY furnished rooms, steam heat, reasonable rates, 110 N. Tejon St.

WELL furnished rooms, 724 North Corona, on car line. Use of piano

FOUR housekeeping rooms, close in, first floor; lady going away; 427 E. Platte.

WARM rooms, modern, the La Cleda, 22½ East Pike's Peak avenue.

MODERN housekeeping rooms Call after 4 p. m.; 315 Monument.

GROUND floor suite, housekeeping, modern throughout; 309 East Bijou

221 E. CUCHARAS, second floor, bath, cheap Apply 427 N Weber.

GROUND floor rooms; housekeeping, private bath, telephone, 529 N. Nevada.

ROOMS for housekeeping or otherwise; cheap, 316 N. Nevada Ave.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms, cheap. 944 S Cascade avenue.

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BOARD AND ROOMS.

LARGE pleasant rooms and board, hot and cold water, $45 per month for two; 25 West Bijou Mrs. A. L. Call.

ROOMS with or without board, modern; 724 N. Nevada Ave. Misses Sheehan Phone 726-A.

TO RENT—Rooms with or without board, sleeping porches if required. Mrs. Hill, 216 N. Cascade,

ROOMS and board, house newly remodeled and furnished, 107 South Nevada

BOARD and rooms with sleeping porches. Miss Callahan, 2003 North Tejon St.

SUITE of rooms with private bath. Miss Clinton, 202 N Cascade.

MRS FOUNTAIN has opened her house; 412 North Tejon St.

ROOMS AND BOARD. Table board. Mrs Walter A. Dunn, 127 N. Nevada.

FOR SALE RANCHES.

RANCHING.
In Colorado is a sure road to wealth when you buy the land at $1 75 the acre, 1-10 down, 10 years' credit: Quicker you buy the greater choice A. W. Barbour, 1025 17th street, Denver

IMPROVED ranch near Fountain. Good water right Phone Red 1125

GOOD cattle ranch for sale or trade, Call at once; 130 S. Nevada.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

TRADE REAL ESTATE, NO MATTER WHERE LOCATED, CALL OR WRITE J. A BARTON, 21 E PIKE'S PEAK AVE.

POPULAR WANTS

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

GOOD fresh Jersey and Shorthorn cows and heifers, cheap. J. H. Bruening, 222 Cheyenne Road

FOR SALE—Four-room cottage to move or rent 911 N. Wahsatch

FOR SALE—Sheep manure, $4 per ton Burnham & Co, 117 Portland Boulevard

FOR SALE—Cheap, good meat refrigerator and store counter, 432 West Bijou

PARTRIDGE Cochen prize winners setting eggs $1 00 914 N Corona

BUFF Orpington eggs for hatching. 915 South Cascade Ave.

8-FOOT show case, good order, cheap; 212 North Tejon

THIRTY laying hens.
624 North Weber.

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TO LOAN.

SALARY LOANS AT THE WEEKLY PAYMENT LOAN CO,
If you have a permanent position, you can borrow money on your personal note. No mortgages or endorsers required

Amt. of Loan	Mthly.	Semi-M.	Wkly
$50 00 repay	$12.85	$6 20	$3 10
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After investigating the cheap money of other concerns get our rates and easy system of loans extended to salaried employes that gets you out of debt instead of plunging you in deeper Payments suspended in case of sickness and out of employment. Most liberal terms offered in the city Chattel loans, 1 per cent and up

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Money at 6 and 7 per cent on real estate; no delay.
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WOLFE & BELL,
ROOM 6, P. O. BLDG

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—MADAME LE CLAIR—
The greatest Clairvoyant and Palmist has located here to demonstrate to the people her wonderful powers of predicting the past, present and future in all matters of Love, Courtship, Marriage and Divorce Reunites the separated, restores lost affection and tells how to win the man or woman you love Call and see what she can do for you.
MADAME LE CLAIR,
110 N Nevada Ave
Hours, 10 a m. to 8 p m
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MRS. SAMPSON, spiritual meetings, Thursday and Sunday evenings; 26 East Pike's Peak

MRS THOMPSON, clairvoyant; hours 9 to 9; 103 S. Nevada.

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FOUND—A really delightful confection which keeps the stomach right—CHICLETS.

FOUND—A bicycle. Call at 502 S. Weber and pay for this ad.

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HORSES AND VEHICLES.

CARRIAGES and wagons repaired at lowest prices Rubber tires a specialty. All work guaranteed. Hemenway's Carriage and Repair Shop, 25 S. Cascade

FOR SALE—Under value; stylish pair of chestnut mares about 15 hands high, well broken to drive double and single. D. V Donaldson, 1128 N. Cascade Ave.

FOR SALE—Express, surrey, heavy draught horses, young mules. Will trade for cattle, hay or grain; 518 Cheyenne road

FIRST-CLASS driving horse, 14½ hands, thoroughly sound, a beauty and no mistake. 315 Cheyenne road.

NEW and second hand vehicles, painting, trimming and horseshoeing. 104 S. Cascade ave.

WANTED—Light runabout in good condition to hire or purchase if cheap Phone 711-A

FOR SALE—The best family driving horse in city, young, good looker, safe. J. W. Coffey

FAMILY mare and runabout; also double buggy harness, cheap. Rear 831 North Corona

FOR SALE—An extra good rubber tired runabout at a bargain J W Coffey.

HORSE, harness and light driving wagon for sale, cheap 18 East Kiowa

POULTRY AND PET STOCK.

FOR SALE A few prize winning Barred Plymouth Rock hens, also two extra fine Buff Rock roosters J. W. Coffey.

FOR SALE—The finest bull terrier puppies in city, J W Coffey

BEST eggs and poultry in city, delivered. Drop postal L Calkins, Box 485.

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PERSONAL.

PHYSICIANS are advising their patients to chew CHICLETS.

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POPULAR WANTS

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE
6-room modern house, new, lot 35x100 ft, good location $3,100
5-room house, with bath, lot 40x96 ft, on easy terms $1,100
6-room house, lot 25x100 ft, close in, on easy terms $1,350
5-room modern house, lot 50x130, close in, fine location $2,200
6-room house with bath, lot 50x190, good cellar, on W. Pike's Peak Ave. $1,500
6-room house with bath, and one 4-room house in rear, lot 50x130, on East Platte Avenue .... $5,500.

LOTS
Nice corner lot on N. Weber, suitable for 3 houses $2,300
Good lot on East Boulder St. $550
Corner lot on Platte Ave $300
Lot 50x65, close in $150

FOR TRADE
Equity in 5 rooms and bath, full lot, for small clear property.

Fine residence lot in Chicago for good equity in well located residence property

Houses for Rent Money to Loan
J H THEDINGA & CO,
21 North Tejon St.

FOR SALE.
J. L FRANKLIN & CO,

8 rooms, new, strictly modern, in parking district, N. Cascade, full basement, laundry fire place, full lot, barn, lawn and shade, make offer $4,500

5-room, modern cottage, full lot, on car line, north and east, best location $2,000

4-room house, not far out, fine location, south front full lot, chicken yard, terms to suit $1,150

Grocery stock of $3,000, in best location in the city, doing a fine business, but will retire on account of poor health Will trade for good city property

J I FRANKLIN & CO.
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SMALL payments down and $15 00 per month buys a handsome cottage of five rooms, reception hall, bath and cellar. This cottage is nearly new, has large porches, china closets, best open nickel plumbing, pantry is fitted with drawers, flour bins, etc Large lot well fenced. Price only $2,000. The Hastings-Allen Realty & Building Co 22 N Tejon St,

WE are having inquiries from the east for bargains in residence property, ranch land, business property and numerous other investments
List your property, whatever it may be, with us TODAY
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FOR SALE—Summer Cottage—At Glen Park, Palmer Lake, 23 miles from Colorado Springs, large summer cottage, 13 rooms including 7 bedrooms, large living room, bath and closet, roomy porches Two large lots, well shaded, beautiful, cool location Suitable for boarding and rooming house if desired Inquire of L. McLean, Jr., Y. M C A. Bldg

For Sale
or
Will Trade for City Property.
60 acres of land joining city limits of Colorado Springs.
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17 N Tejon Phone, 425-A.

SUBURBAN home, 4 acres land, six-roomed house nearly modern, private water system, fruits, berries, gardens; ¼ mile from Colorado Springs $4,000 if taken before April 1 For particulars and terms address Box 1001, city.

ACREAGE in Ivywild in lots of ½ to 1½ acres Small monthly payments The Hastings-Allen Realty & Building Co., 22 North Tejon.

LIST YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE WITH J. A. BARTON, 21 EAST PIKE'S PEAK AVE.

$2,400 A bargain, 7-room modern house, north. Phone Red 152.

HOME BARGAINS.
INVESTIGATE THEM NOW.
6-room house, fully modern, east side, south front lot $2,000
7-room house, modern, well located near car line 2,300
Modern, 5-room house, close in 2,800
New 8-room house, fully modern, north end 6,000
12-room house, new, every modern convenience, hot water heat, full lot 8,500

ADAMS & WILLIAMS,
112½ N. Tejon St.

$60 CASH, $10.00 per month, for cottage of four rooms, cellar, electric lights, large lot, well fenced, fine lawn and trees Price $1,425. The Hastings-Allen Realty & Building Co.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

MOLES and superfluous hair removed with electricity, hair goods made to order Mrs. Anna Bethman, 27 E. Kiowa.

LIST your houses for rent with A. J. Lawton, 17 E. Pike's Peak Ave.

THE Colorado Mineral Water Co. have moved to 8 East Kiowa St.

EDUCATIONAL.

PRIVATE tutoring terms reasonable. Address, E-136, Gazette.

MACFADDEN FOODS.

MACFADDEN'S uncooked foods for sale. Mrs Kahn, 1 Exchange Bank Bldg.

LOST.

FEMALE pug dog, answers to name of Bettie Call at 242 North Tejon St

LOST—Pierce racer No 111780, finder return or notify 615 E St Vrain street.

LOST—White Spitz puppy, from 721 East Boulder. Reward Phone Black 342

LOST—Gold bead chain Return to 31 N El Paso St Reward

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POPULAR WANTS

MISCELLANEOUS.

SAVE MONEY See Wm. Scott, plumber, 116 Exchange place. Phone Red 1361.

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OSTEOPATHS.

DR. G. W. PAULY and wife, graduates Still's college, Kirksville, Mo, 303-4 De Graff Bldg, 118 N. Tejon, Phone Red-144 Best equipped office. Best services

MINES AND MINING.

HAVE a good mining proposition, five hundred required. Address E 142, Gazette.

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BUSINESS CHANCES.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Will sell furnishings of apartment house cheap and give long lease on property. A money maker. E. 129, Gazette.

WIDOW wants a partner with capital in dressmaking establishment. E 141.

FOR SALE—Fruit, candy and cigar stand. Pike's Peak and Weber St.

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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

$450 STERLING PIANO $250 cash, upright; beautiful quarter sawed golden oak case, used only six months Certainly a bargain; call quick
ALSO MAHOGANY ANGELUS PIANO PLAYER $250 Only used short time. $150 cash.
BIRD PIANO CO., 15 E. Bijou St.

TO TRADE.

TO SELL or trade for small business, improved mountain ranch, good water and outside range, fine climate, produced 30 tons of hay and 50 tons potatoes this year Call or address 418 W. Pike's Peak.

WANTED Stonemasons and carpenters to trade work for lots. The Hastings-Allen Realty & Building Co. 22 N. Tejon.

TO TRADE Modern 7-room house and 4-room cottage for north end property Box 341, City

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

CARPETS, linens, ladies and gents wearing apparel, easy payments Polants, 9 East Kiowa.

DOG KENNELS.

A MODEL home for dogs, "The Park Kennels," one block west of Boulevard park. Dogs boarded and cared for by an experienced dogman from New York. Please call and inspect. 'Phone Main 860.

FOR RENT OFFICES.

DESK room for rent. The Hastings-Allen Realty & Building Co., 22 N. Tejon

TYPEWRITERS.

REMINGTON typewriters and others, also supplies, at 22 E. Kiowa St. Tel. Red 376 Zimmerman Supply Co.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Colorado Springs, Colorado,
February 20, 1905
To the Stockholders of The Beacon Hill Ajax Gold Mining Company:
Please take notice that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Beacon Hill Ajax Gold Mining company will convene at the office of said company, No. 30 Postoffice building, Colorado Springs, Colorado, at eleven o'clock a. m., on Saturday, March 25, 1905, for the purpose of approving or disapproving the action of the board of directors of said company in disposing of the Ajax Lode Mining claim, survey No 8379, for a consideration of $67,395 99, being six cents per share on the outstanding capital stock of your company, such action having been taken by your board of directors at a meeting duly held at the office of said company in this city, on Thursday, February 16, 1905.
The books for the transfer of stock will close on Thursday, March 23, 1905.
Signed, C. W HAYS, President.
GEORGE STURGISS, Secretary

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Coahuila and Durango Development company will be held at the office of J. E. Lundstrom, Room 11, Out West building, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Monday, March 13, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before said meeting
A. H MACKIE, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Fuente Coal company will be held at the office of J E. Lundstrom, Room 11, Out West building, Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Monday, March 13, 1905, at 10 o clock a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting
A. H. MACKIE, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of THE REQUA-SAVAGE GOLD MINING COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, rooms 211-212 Mining Exchange Building, city of Colorado Springs, Colorado on Monday, March 13, 1905, at 7 30 o'clock p m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, also to consider and by vote determine whether or not the capital stock of this company shall be increased to one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in shares of one dollar each and for the transaction of any other business that may be properly brought before the meeting
Books for the transfer of stock will be closed at 3 o'clock p m, on March 11, 1905, and remain closed until the final adjournment of this stockholders meeting
S. B. TAYLOR, Secretary. FRANK FINEGAN, President

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Alamo Coal company will be held at the office of J E Lundstrom, room 11 Out West building, Colorado Springs Colorado, on Monday, March 13, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before said meeting.
A. H. MACKIE, Secretary,

POPULAR WANTS

LEGAL NOTICES.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Mexican National Construction company, to elect directors and transact such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the principal office of the company, in Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Monday, April 3, 1905, at twelve o clock noon The stock transfer books will be closed March 13, 1905, at 3 o clock p m, and reopen three days after the final adjournment of such meeting. WALTER HINCHMAN, Secretary.

Dated March 3, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Coahuila Coal company will be held at the office of J E Lundstrom, Room 11, Out West building, Colorado Springs, Colorado on Monday, March 13, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m, for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before said meeting. A. H. MACKIE, Secretary.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

DENVER & RIO GRANDE.

Corrected December 4.

NORTH BOUND FOR DENVER.
No. Leaves
16—From Ouray, Gunnison and Salida and Leadville .... 4:30 a.m.
6 From Salt Lake City and Pacific Coast .... 8:30 a.m.
8—From Pueblo .... 9:07 a m
12—From St Louis, Kansas City and Pueblo .... 10:30 a.m.
2—From St. Louis and Pacific Coast .... 1:07 p m.
10—From Pueblo and Canon City 4:25 p.m.
14—From Trinidad and Pueblo.... 6:25 p.m.
4—From Salt Lake City and Pacific Coast .... 7:07 p m
SOUTH AND WEST FROM DENVER.
No Leaves.
15 For Ouray, Gunnison, Salida and Leadville .... 12:13 a.m.
5—For Salt Lake and Pacific Coast .... 10:30 a.m.
1—For Salt Lake, St. Louis and Pacific Coast .... 12:06 p.m.
13—For Pueblo .... 2:37 p.m.
9—For Canon City and Pueblo.. 2:58 p.m.
7—For Pueblo .... 6.00 p.m.
11—For Kansas City and St Louis 7:05 p.m.
3—For Salt Lake City and Pacific Coast .... 11:07 p.m.

MANITOU BRANCH TRAINS.

No.	Lv. Colo. Spgs.	No.	Lv. Manitou.
43	7:50 a m.	44	8:30 a.m.
45	10.45 a.m.	46	11:20 a.m.
47	5.00 p.m.	48	5:35 p.m.

COLORADO SPRINGS & CRIPPLE CREEK DISTRICT RAILWAY.

(THE SHORT LINE.)
Daily. WEST BOUND.
No. 5—Lv. Colorado Springs......10:35 a.m.
Ar Cripple Creek .... 1 10 p.m.
No. 7—Lv Colorado Springs...... 6:30 p m.
Ar. Cripple Creek .... 9:05 p m.
Daily EAST BOUND.
No 8—Lv Cripple Creek .... 8 00 a.m.
Ar. Colorado Springs .... 10:30 a.m.
No 14—Lv Cripple Creek........ 3:45 p.m.
Ar Colorado Springs...... 6:20 p.m.

Through trains of day coaches and observation cars between Denver, Cripple Creek and Victor are run over the Colorado & Southern Ry to and from Colorado Springs.

Short Line trains arrive and depart from Santa Fe Station Colorado Springs. City ticket office, 119 E Pike's Peak avenue.

SANTA FE ROUTE.

Union Station, E Pike's Peak Ave.
March 1, 1905
EAST BOUND AND CALIFORNIA.
Kansas City and Chicago........ 6 40 a.m.
Denver to Pueblo .... 10.40 a m.
Denver to Pueblo .... 2:30 p.m.
California Ltd., Kan City, Chicago .... 8 25 p m
Chicago, vestibuled .... 10 30 p m.
Denver to Colorado Springs.......11.20 p.m.
NORTH BOUND TO DENVER.
Chicago, K C. and California.... 4.55 a.m.
Kansas City to Denver ....10:35 a.m.
Pueblo to Denver........ 1:00 p.m.
Limited from California........ 3:30 p.m.
Pueblo to Denver........ 6.25 p.m.
From C. M. Ry........ 7:30 p.m.
C. C. HOYT, City Passenger Agent, 18 North Tejon street A. E. Ford, Depot Agent, Colorado Springs.

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive. Depart.
10:25 a.m.—St. Louis, Sedalia, Kansas City, St. Joe, Atchison, Leavenworth, Wichita, Coffeyville, Hot Springs, Ark., daily .... 7:05 p.m.
1:07 p.m.—"Fast Mail," St. Louis, Hot Springs, Ark., Sedalia, Kansas City, St. Joe, Atchison, Leavenworth, daily .... 12:06 noon

COLORADO MIDLAND RAILWAY.

Taking effect March 1.

WEST BOUND.
No. Leave
9—Cripple Creek and Ute Pass Express........ 10:35 a m.
5 Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast Limited .... 11:35 a.m.
11 Cripple Creek and Ute Pass Express........ 7:10 p.m.
3 Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast Limited .... 11:30 p.m.
EAST BOUND.
No. Arrives.
6—From Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast .... 6:25 a.m.
8—From Cripple Creek and Ute Pass .... 10:27 a m
12—From Cripple Creek and Ute Pass .... 6:20 p.m
4—From Colorado, Utah and Pacific Coast .... 7.10 p m.

All trains to and from Cripple Creek district leave from and arrive at D & R G depot Other trains leave from and arrive at Santa Fe depot.

Ticket office, No. 3 E. Pike's Peak Ave.
R. T. DUNAWAY, C. P and F. A.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM.

LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.
No.
17 Rocky Mountain Limited to Chicago .... 11 45 am
6—Vestibuled Limited for Chicago via Omaha .... 10 00 pm
10 Colorado Flyer, Kansas City St Joseph, St Louis .... 2 30 pm
16—For Kansas City and St Louis 9 05 pm
5—Limited to Pueblo .... 8 30 am
9—Limited to Pueblo .... 11 50 am
ARRIVE COLORADO SPRINGS.
6—Vestibuled Limited from Chicago .... 7 50 am
15 From St. Louis and Kansas City .... 8 15 am
9—Colorado Flyer from Kansas City, St Joseph, Omaha and St. Louis .... 11 25 am
41—Rocky Mountain Limited .... 9.35 pm

Through sleepers and chair cars on all trains; dining cars for all meals.

THE CRIPPLE CREEK ROAD.

MIDLAND TERMINAL RY.

Via Colorado Midland Out of Colorado Springs
EFFECTIVE MARCH 1
WEST BOUND
No. 109—Lv Colorado Springs 10 35 a m
Ar Cripple Creek 1 15 p m
No. 111—Lv Colorado Springs 7 10 p m
Ar Cripple Creek 9 50 p m.
EAST BOUND.
No. 108—Lv Cripple Creek 8 00 a m.
Ar Colorado Springs 10 32 a m
No. 110 Lv. Cripple Creek 3 50 p m
Ar. Colorado Springs 6:30 p m

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BRIEF CITY ITEMS

DAILY WEATHER RECORD.

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado College weather bureau for 24 hours ending at 6 p. m. yesterday:

Temperature at 6 a. m.	29
Temperature at 12 m.	44
Temperature at 6 p. m.	35
Maximum temperature	49
Minimum temperature	24
Mean temperature	37
Max. bar. pres., inches, 12 m.	23.98
Min. bar. pres., inches, 6 p. m.	24.03
Mean velocity of wind per hour	15
Max. vel. of wind per hour, 10 a. m.	24
Mean relative humidity	67
Mean dew point	28
Precipitation in inches	0

Satisfied people wear Ashby's spectacles

FINELY furnished rooms at Y. M. C. A.

ST. JOHN & BARNES. Prompt Plumbers. Phone 13.

ALAMO CAFE—Open from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. Moderate prices.

SAM JONES at Temple theater, Friday, March 17. Seats at Lauterman's.

BIRTH—A son was born to Judge and Mrs. J. A. Orr on Wednesday.

MASONS—Stated communication of El Paso lodge No. 13, A. F. & A. M., at 7:30 o'clock this evening.

ROAD MATTERS—The county commissioners yesterday spent the day on road business north of the city.

25 PER CENT discount on all trunks and suit cases today at J. L. Harbaugh & Co's, 9 and 11 South Cascade.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Syracuse lodge No. 111, Knights of Pythias, met last night and conferred the Knights' rank.

SENT EAST—The remains of Michael McDonald, who died in Manitou Tuesday, were sent to Anamosa, Ia., last night for burial.

CHICKEN pie supper at Second Congregational church, Tejon and Costilla, March 10, 4:30 to 8 p. m. Admission 25c.

DISTRICT MEETING—Mrs. W. W. Arnold's district will meet at the home of Mrs. B. P. Knight, 108 East Monument street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SELECT your own trees and shrubs from the Clark Nurseries, corner Wood avenue and Monroe. J. B. Braidwood, proprietor. Phone 28.

LICENSE GRANTED—A marriage license has been granted by County Clerk Reed to John Q. Potter and Mrs. Cynthia A. Wilson, both of this city.

THE SHORTEST AND QUICKEST route to Cripple Creek is via the Short Line which leaves the Santa Fe-Colorado & Southern depot at 10:35 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.

CONTRACT AWARDED—Edward P. Matthews has been awarded the contract for carrying the United States mail to the 42 trains which enter and leave Colorado Springs each day.

MYRTLE LODGE—Myrtle lodge No. 34, Knights of Pythias, will meet Wednesday night for work in the Knights rank. There will be special music.

MOTHERS' COUNCIL—The Hillside Mothers' council will meet at the home of Mrs. John O'Connor, 805 E. Cimarron street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

HOME MISSIONS—The Home Missionary department of the Woman's union of the First Congregational church meets in the parish house this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

INSTALLATION—Pike's Peak company No. 10, Uniform rank, K. of P., will have an installation and inspection Monday night. Col. F. E. Phillips will install and Col. O. B. Bennett will inspect.

MODERN MACCABEES—The Ladies of the Modern Maccabees will hold their regular meeting and a ten-cent tea this afternoon at K. P. hall. All members are requested to attend and bring their friends.

MESOPOTAMIA—Prof. W. C. Sturgis, of Colorado college, will lecture on "A Trip Through Mesopotamia" in Perkins hall at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Rev. Stanley Ross Fisher, of Denver, will sing.

REALTY DEALS—The transfers of the property of Charles M. Lasiter at 919 South Sahwatch street to A. E. Clark for $1,000 and of 160 acres near Peyton from Joseph Kozak to J. H. Gilfillan for $1,000 have been reported by Johnson Brothers.

SUDDEN DEATH—Mike Hinnans, aged 29 years, died suddenly Wednesday evening at the Printers home of hemorrhage of the lungs. The funeral will be held this morning at 9:30 o'clock from St. Mary's Catholic church.

COMMANDER HERE—Commander Thomas J. Downen, of the department of Colorado and Wyoming, G. A. R., will be given an informal reception this evening by Colorado Springs Post No. 22, G. A. R., at the Alta Vista. Commander Downen is on his way to Elbert to open the meeting of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. on Saturday. L. C. Dana will accompany the commander to Elbert.

PRECINCT MAP—A number of blue prints of the new Colorado Springs city precinct map have been completed at the city engineer's office and will be of great use to political workers in the coming campaign.

MISSIONARY—The Woman's Missionary department of the First Baptist church will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Warren Woods, 1322 Earls Court. Miss Woodsmall will conduct the program and Mrs. Vining will sing.

SEWING SCHOOL—The sewing school of St. Stephen's church will open an advanced course in sewing Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Instruction will be given in machine work and making underwear.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 9.—Vice President Fairbanks will come to Indianapolis the latter part of this month to take intervening degrees in Masonry between the blue lodge and the thirty-second degree. He was initiated into the Masonic order December 27.

TO HAVE A GOOD TIME when going to Cripple Creek take the Short Line which departs from and arrives at the Santa Fe-Colorado Southern station, Colorado Springs. Trains leave 10:35 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.

MARRIED—Charles Trautman and Mrs. Mary I. Ritchey were united in marriage Wednesday evening by Justice McClelland at the home, 118 East Costilla street. A large party of friends were present to witness the ceremony and extend congratulations.

IN ST. PAUL—Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McClurg recently gave one of their lectures on Colorado in the House of Hope church in St. Paul, of which the Rev. W. H. W. Boyle, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, is pastor.

QUARTERLY TEA—The Woman's Missionary society of the Second Presbyterian church will hold its quarterly tea at the home of Mrs. Thomas, 1825 Washington avenue, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Partch will speak of her missionary work in China.

SOMETHING TO REMEMBER is that the Short Line trains now arrive at and depart from the Santa Fe-Colorado & Southern depot, Colorado Springs; also that the trains leave at 10:35 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. and arrive at 10:30 a. m. and 6:20 p. m.

TAKEN TO ST. FRANCIS—G. W. Shannon, secretary and auditor of the Cripple Creek Central, was brought to this city from Cripple Creek yesterday suffering from pneumonia and was taken to the St. Francis hospital. He was reported as slightly improved last night on account of the lower altitude.

ALWAYS ON TIME is the motto the Short Line has merited in the handling of passengers between Colorado Springs and the Cripple Creek gold camp. Trains leave Santa Fe-Colorado Southern station at 10:35 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.

TEMPERANCE UNION—The North End W. C. T. U. will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock instead of on Saturday at the home of Mrs. W. H. Parry, 811 North Weber street. Mrs. F. A. Bissell will read a paper on "How to Interest the Young in Reform Work" and Mrs. E. P. Campbell will read a paper on "Home Destroying Industries."

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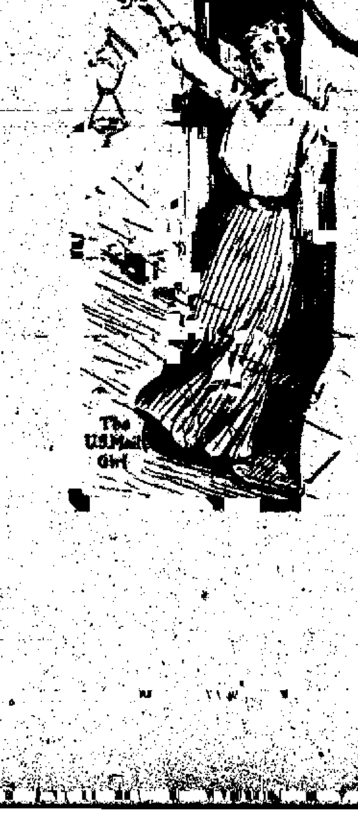

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